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INSURGENTS GIVE UP.

Three Officers and Fifteen Privates Surrender.

GENERAL GOMEZ IS MOVING.

Captain Blanco Has Ordered the Spanish Forces to Favor the Owners of Sugar Estates In the Grinding of Cane.

Havana, Nov. 16.—An official dispatch from Alfonso XIII, province of Matanzas, announces the surrender there to the Spanish authorities of an insurgent force consisting of three officers and 15 privates, who delivered up 30 carbines. The insurgent officers who have surrendered are Colonel Evaristo Leon, Major Guadeloupe Herrara and Captain Carlos Cepero.

It is semi-officially announced that General Maximo Gomez is attempting to concentrate the insurgent forces near Remedios, the principal northern port of the province of Santa Clara, and it is added that he was engaged by a Spanish force, with the result that the insurgents left nine killed on the field, while the Spaniards had over 100 killed.

Captain General Blanco has issued a circular to the Spanish military commanders in the different provinces of Cuba instructing them to favor the owners of sugar estates by all means in their power, and to encourage those who may be less disposed than the others to grind their cane. The captain general is desirous that sugar-cane grinding should proceed on a large scale.

It Would Be Unfortunate.

Madrid, Nov. 10.—In response to a cable message from a nonofficial American source, Senor Sagasta, the premier, has sent the following cabled declaration through Senor Dupuy de Lome, the Spanish minister at Washington: "So far from seeking a pretext to declare war against the United States, Spain would regard it as a great misfortune to be given the occasion for such an unhappy resolution."

It Rained In Cuba.

Baltimore, Nov. 10.—The steamer Darlington, which arrived at Sparrows point, reports 38 inches of rain as having fallen in the province of Santiago de Cuba during October. Great damage was done, and one of the bridges used by the Juragua Iron company on the railroad from the mines to the steamer piers was carried away.

Voice From the Vatican.

Rome, Nov 10.—The papal nuncio at Madrid has been recalled to Rome by the vatican and instructed to exhort the clergy and people of Spain to do their utmost to support the present dynasty. News has reached the vatican that the situation in Spain is extremely grave.

Not Ordered to Cuba.

New York, Nov. 10.—At the Cuban junta headquarters here the report that General Gomez had ordered General Julio Sanguilly to report for duty in the insurgent ranks in Cuba was definitely denied.

Charged With "Grafting."

New York, Nov 10.—Former State Senator William Cauldwell was arrested and released on $10,000 bail on the charge of appropriating funds of an estate for which he is trustee. The complaint is made by Mrs Mary J. Westerfield and her sister, Flora E. Rogers, daughters of the late Jason Rogers, the millionaire locomotive builder of Paterson, N. J., who accuse Mr. Cauldwell and their brother, Thomas Rogers, trustees of the will, of appropriating to their own use funds of the estate.

Daughters of the Confederacy.

Baltimore, Nov. 10.—The annual convention of the United States Daughters of the Confederacy is in session here, and will probably last three days. The association was formed three years ago and now has 140 chapters in all of the southern states and some of the northern states. It is expected that all of the chapters will be represented in the convention.

An Important Matter.

Lima, Peru, Nov. 10.—The ministers of the United States, Great Britain and Germany addressed a collective note to the government asking that a bill for the legalization of non-Catholic marriages be included among the measures to be named by President Pierola.

A Respite Granted.

Eufaula, Ala., Nov. 10.—Chief Isparhecher granted a respite for ten days in the case of John Watka, the Creek Indian, who was to have been shot here for the murder of Jonas Deere.

Murderers Arrested.

Mantua, O., Nov. 10.—Eight tramps were arrested here for the murder of Henry Smith of Mahoning Station, on a freight train. On one of the gang was found the victim's watch.

He Was Deeply Impressed.

Buluwayo, Matabeleland, Nov. 10.—At a banquet held here Rev. Joseph C. Hartsell of Cincinnati, O., Methodist Episcopal bishop for west Africa, referring to the charges made in the radical newspapers of London concerning the ill treatment of the natives by the Rhodesians, said the rights of men along the Thames would be insecure unless of the poorest natives of Africa were safeguarded. The bishop added that he had been deeply impressed with the civilization of Rhodesia, and he said that he trusted the stars and stripes and the union jack would combine in defense of human rights.

Alleged Crooks Held.

Philadelphia, Nov. 10. John A. Merrick, a clerk in United States Commissioner Bell's office; Richard M. Merrick, his father, also a clerk in the same office, and Eugene Lindsey, a clerk in the city prothonotary's office, were given a hearing before United States Commissioner Edmunds, charged with issuing fraudulent naturalization papers, and at the conclusion of the hearing they were each held in $5,000 bail for court.

Saw Two Floating Bodies.

Buffalo, Nov. 10.—Captain Neil of the steamer Thomas Carnegie, which has arrived here, reports that when off Long point his vessel passed close to two floating bodies supposed to be from the steamer Idaho. They were quickly lost in the darkness. Captain Neil also reports passing wreckage of various descriptions.

Report of Receivers.

Baltimore, Nov. 10.—Receivers Cowen and Murray of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad filed in the United States court their report for the month of August, showing total receipts of $3,627,384.95, and total disbursements of $3,133,101.85, leaving a balance on Aug. 31 of $494,283.10.

To Lease Gas Works.

Philadelphia, Nov. 10.—Select council, at a special meeting, approved the ordinance leasing the Philadelphia gas works to the United Gas Improvement company for a period of 30 years. The ordinance passed by a vote of 25 to 13, after a session lasting from 10 a. m. until 6 p. m.

Arrangements Made.

Washington, Nov. 10. — The Union Pacific reorganization committee has arranged with the treasury department for the transfer to them of the bonds in the sinking fund and the cash payment therefor, on the 22d of the present month

Report Confirmed.

Simla, India, Nov. 10.—The report that a native officer and 35 Sikhs belonging to the Kurram column had been intercepted by tribesmen in a ravine and slaughtered is officially confirmed.

Killed His Brother.

Goderich, Ont., Nov. 10.—Fred and Harvey Elliott, brothers, hotel keepers of Varna, near Bayfield, quarreled, and during the struggle Fred shot Harvey, killing him instantly.

Mrs. Nack Has Confessed.

New York, Nov. 10.—Mrs. Augusta Nack has made a complete confession of the murder of Guldensuppe and will take the witness stand against Thorn.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $204,865,298; gold reserve, $154,863,636.

Postmaster In Trouble.

Columbus, Ind., Nov 10.—The Northwestern Fertilizing company of Chicago, by its attorneys, Marshall, Hacker & Cooper, commenced criminal proceedings in the circuit court against Francis M. Stevens and William A Stevens, charging them with the crime of embezzlement. William A. Stevens is postmaster here.

Navigation Resumed.

Cincinnati, Nov. 10.—The two days' rain in the upper Ohio valley has caused a long-wished-for rise in the Ohio river. Boatmen here say that before the end of this week navigation will be resumed from here south and to up-river points at least as far as Pomeroy, and possibly to Pittsburg.

Gas Generator Exploded.

Piqua, O., Nov. 10.—The gas generator in the factory of the Piqua Hosiery company exploded, causing a panic among the 100 girls on the floor. The building was wrecked. Lizzie Burke was probably fatally burned, and Bertha Ingle was terribly injured. The others escaped

Will They Accept It?

Youngstown, O., Nov. 10.—The employes at the Andrew Brothers company's blast furnace have been given notice of a 10 per cent advance in wages, to go into effect Dec. 1. It is understood that other blast furnace companies will soon advance the wages of their employes.

Little Girl Kidnaped.

Alliance, O., Nov. 10.—Saturday a stranger, who said he was Mr. Wilbur, residing five miles away, called at the residence of Peter Haffmeyer and got Rosa Hoffman, 8, to go home with him. No such person lives in the county and no trace of the girl can be found.

Child's Neck Broken.

Portage, O., Nov. 10.—Fernie Teele, 3, had her neck broken by a wagon rack falling on her.

RECEIVER DISCHARGED.

Railroad Company Reorganized and Placed on Sound Footing.

Alliance, O., Nov. 10 - The receiver for the Lake Erie, Alliance and Southern railway has been discharged and the company reorganized, with a capital stock of $500,000, under the name of the Ohio River and Lake Erie Railroad company At a meeting of the stockholders in this city a board of directors and the following officers were elected: President, G. F. Taintor, vice president and superintendent, H. D Emerson; secretary, G. V. Lu Huillar.

It Is Not a Rate War.

New York, Nov 10.—The statement has been published that the recent reduction in rates announced by the Edison Electric Illuminating company indicated an intention on the part of the company and other corporations in the same business to begin a campaign against the gas companies. All such intent was denied on the part of the largest of the electrical lighting companies, the Edison Eelectric Illuminating company.

Unwarrantable Detention.

Colon, Columbia, Nov. 10.—After holding in quarantine the Royal Mail Steam Packet company's steamer, via Jamaica, for 32 hours because of the reported prevalence of yellow fever in the island, the officials have raised the quarantine and allowed her to land her passengers and mails. Much indignation is expressed by the passengers at what they consider unwarrantable detention.

Major Quirk Dead.

New York, Nov. 10. — Major Paul Quirk, United States navy, retired, died at West Hoboken, N. J. Several months ago he was appointed by Governor Griggs a member of the state commission to inquire into the treatment of pauper children in the Snake Hall almshouse. He was vice president of the Monastery St. Vincent de Paul society.

Condition Not Improved.

Cleveland, Nov. 10.—There has been no change for the better in the condition of Patent Commissioner Butterworth. He seems to be holding his own, however, and that gives some encouragement to his family and friends.

The Atmosphere Safe.

Cleveland, Nov. 10. — The schooner Atmosphere, which has been missing for 10 days and which was supposed to be lost, has arrived in port. She was storm-swept for 30 hours and was kept afloat only with the greatest difficulty.

Heirs to a Large Estate.

Warren, O., Nov. 10.—John and Alexander Campbell have been informed that they, with other relatives, including Mrs. McKinley, mother of the president, who was a Campbell, are heirs to a large estate in Scotland.

Ghouls Make a Mistake.

Vigo, O., Nov. 10.—Ghouls attempted to steal the body of Sam Jones, who suicided by drinking peppermint essence, but by mistake they got that of Carlton Kelly, who died of consumption.

Convict Lawyer Pardoned.

Columbus, O., Nov. 10.—Hiram P. McKnight, the convict lawyer, who was serving a term in the penitentiary from Wood county for forgery, has been pardoned by Governor Bushnell.

Insane Asylum Burned.

Milledgeville, Ga., Nov 10.—The negro section of the Georgia Insane asylum was burned. Loss, about $100,000; insurance, $50,000.

A LARGE CROWD

Attended the Social Given by Knights of St. John.

EXCELLENT PROGRAMME

Of Music Well Rendered—The First of a Series of Monthly Entertainments—Rev. Father Manning Congratulates the Order.

The Knights of St. John last evening in the hall in the basement of the St. Rose school building gave their first of a series of monthly entertainments. The hall was crowded and there were over five hundred people present. The programme, which was a lengthy one, was composed of varied selections, which were greatly enjoyed by all who were present. Every number was well rendered and the society was given many compliments on their excellent entertainment, and the programme as rendered was a classical one and some of the best musical talent in the city appeared before the audience.

The programme was opened by an overture, "The Lovell Diamond March," by the orchestra, which is an organization of musicians that the Knights of St. John can feel justly proud of. After this number Rev. Father Manning appeared and spoke words of cheer and congratulation to the society for giving a series of monthly socials that would entertain and bring the congregation of St. Rose church together in a social way and make them more as one family. The objects of the socials, Rev. Manning said, were not to make money but were intended to bring the congregation together and to assist in making them a congregation of people ina feeling and sociability as well as in spirit. Should this be accomplished he said he would consider that a great work would have been done. The socials would be varried; some would be musical and at some of them games would afford the amusement.

The following programme, though long, was not tiresome, and every number was appreciated and greeted with a hearty applause:

PROGRAMME.

1. Overture—"The Lovell Diamond March" ..... Frey
   Orchestra.
2. Reading—"The Fireman's Prize" Bracwell
   Mr. Frank Link.
3. "The Orphan's Prayer" ..... Frey
   Mandolin Club.
4. Song—"Pictures from Life's Other Side" ..... Baer
   Mr. John F. Mahoney.
5. Piano Duet—"Lustspiel Overture" ..... Keler Bela
   Misses Mae O'Connor and Bernadine Taubkin
6. Song—"La Separacion" ..... Ion Arnold
   Miss Permilla Simons.
7. Song—"He's My Boy" ..... Gale
   Mr Frank Guinan.
8. Double Trio—"The Dragon Flies" Barziel
   Mesdames George Feltz, Joseph Bletzacker, Arthur C. Feltz, William Millot, Misses Catherine Lawlor, Permilla Simons
9. Song—"Mavourneen" ..... Scanlon
   Miss Kathleen O'Brien.
10. "Sweet Repose" ..... Witt
    Orchestra.
11. Song—"Good Night, My Own Dearest Child" ..... Franz Abt
    Mr. Peter Laughlin.
12. Piano Solo.
    Mr William Regan.
13. Song—"Bedouin Love Song" ..... Bell
    Mrs A. C Feltz.
14. Quartet—"Moonlight Will Come Again" ..... Thompson
    Misses Catharine Lawlor, Alice Cunningham. Messrs J. J Wardock, J Bingham.
15. "The Old Club" ..... Schrem ser
    Orchestra.
16. Song—"Up Went O'Connor on His Wedding Day" .....
    Mr. J. J. Walsh.
17. Chorus—"My Babylon's Wave" Gounod

St. Rose Choir. Mr George Feltz, Director

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Miss Anna Cantwell, Messrs. John Bingham, William Regan.

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"From Mr. Murphy, of course. That's where I get my black eyes from."—New York Truth.

Naturally Enough.

Perry Patetic—You are a singer, I don't think. Your voice sounds like the wind blowin across a empty jug.

Wayworn Watson—Why shouldn't it? I ain't had a drink fer two days.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Liquefied air can now be ordered by the dozen bottles in Munich, but just what it can be used for in a general way is in doubt. It is so cold that it blisters the skin at a touch, but its excess of oxygen is a valuable feature. At present chemists are the only customers for it.

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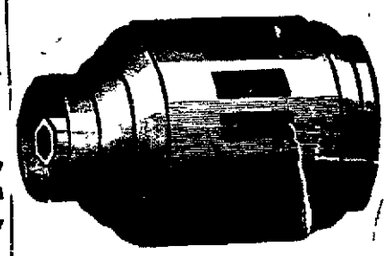

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Canada Will Have Little to Say on Seal Question.

MAY ACT IN OTHER MATTERS

Not Definitely Settled That the Coming Conference Will Take a Wider Scope Than Was at First Anticipated.

Washington, Nov. 10.—General Foster and Sir Julian Pauncefote conferred as to the arrangements for the meeting of British, Canadian and American representatives relative to Bering sea. A general understanding was reached that the arrival of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Canadian premier, and party would permit the meeting to open Thursday

It is not definitely settled that the coming meeting will take a much broader scope than was at first anticipated. At the outset there will be a comparison of notes between the seal experts, Mr. Hamlin for the United States, Professor Thompson for Great Britain, and Professor Macoun for Canada.

The Canadian premier and Sir Louis Davies, Sir Julian Pauncefote and General Foster will be present in an unofficial capacity ready to take up the larger phases of the question when the seal experts have concluded their exchange of technical information.

It is said that the relations existing between Great Britain and Canada make it essential that all questions of an imperial character should be concluded by the direct representatives of the imperial government.

At the same time the presence of the Canadian premier is expected to assist in reaching speedy conclusions without the usual delays of acting through the British foreign office. The formal execution of these conclusions would devolve entirely on the imperial authorities in London and their representative here, the British ambassador.

It was said at the state department that the first object would be to reach a settlement on the Bering sea question, and with that out of the way there would be every disposition to favorable conference on border immigration, Canadian-American interests in the Klondike, reciprocity, and the other questions which Sir Wilfrid and his associates regard as paramount to the Bering sea issue.

Canadian Party Arrives.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier and party arrived here and took quarters at the Shoreham. Sir Wilfrid asked to be excused to all interviewers. During the evening Professor Thompson, the British seal expert, called on the premier and his associates.

Low Water Mark.

Washington, Nov. 10.—General Wade Hampton, who has just been succeeded by General Longstreet as commissioner of railroads, has submitted to the interior department his report for the past fiscal year. He says that the year marked the low-water mark of railway construction. During the year 34 companies, with 5,441 miles of road, passed into the hands of the courts, and 58 others, previously placed in receivership, were sold at foreclosure.

In a Hurry to Hang Durrant.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The state authorities of California have asked the department of justice to hasten the mandate from the United States supreme court in the Durrant murder case, but the matter is one with which the department is not concerned. Thirty days are always taken in sending out mandates unless the court orders that they shall be expedited, which is only done upon motion.

After the President.

Washington, Nov. 10.—A crank appeared at the White House and demanded to see President McKinley. He said the president had not treated him right. He tried to go upstairs by the elevator, but was taken in charge by the officers. He broke away from them and tried to hide behind the conservatory, and was then taken to the police station.

Postoffices to Be Consolidated.

Washington, Nov. 10. — Assistant Postmaster General Heath has made arrangements for the consolidation of postoffices in the vicinity of Indianapolis in conformance with the Greater Indianapolis plans. Fifteen additional carriers will be allowed and stisfactory clerk provisions will be made.

National Grange Meeting.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Colonel J. H. Brigham, assistant secretary of agriculture, and also master of the national grange, is in from Harrisburg, Pa., where the grange is in annual session. Colonel Brigham will make an extended report upon the operations of the order during the past year.

Countervailing Duty on Sugar.

Washington, Nov. 10. — Assistant Secretary Howell has received a telegram from the Oxnard Beet Sugar company of Nebraska asking to be heard on the question of the assessment of a countervailing duty on sugar imported from the Netherlands, and has granted the request.

Very Favorable Report.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The members of the naval trial board, just returned to Washington from the sea trial of the gunboat Nashville, make very favorable reports of the good qualities of the vessel, and particularly of her sailing qualities.

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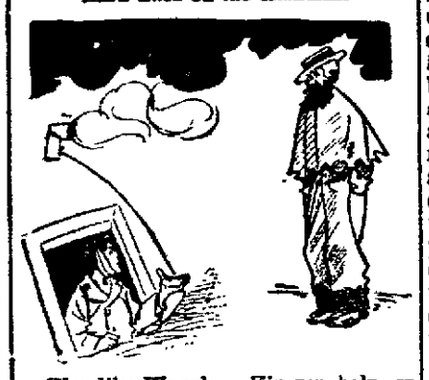
Hard Luck In the Klondike.



Klondike Waggles—Kin yer help er poor unfortunit creeter, lady?

Mrs. Coldnose—I am so sorry, only we haven't a thing in the place but money.

Mother Almost Worn Out—Hands Colic Cure Gave Instant Relief.

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Pat's Password.

Lover tells a good anecdote of an Irishman giving the password at the battle of Fontenoy at the time Saxe was marshal.

"The password is Saxe. Now don't forget it," said the colonel to Pat.

"Faix and I will not. Wasn't my father a miller?"

"Who goes there?" cried the sentinel, after he arrived at the post.

Pat looked as confident as possible, and in a sort of whispered howl replied, "Bags, yer honor."—Nuggets.

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He—When?

She—You said that "never should disgrace rest on my head," and look at this object of a hat!—Judy.

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Former Instruments of Torture.

Instead of gymnastics or games, instruments of torture were used for modeling the figure of the young lady of half a century ago. A contemporary writer says that "could the modern schoolroom (1831) be preserved it would pass for a refined inquisition. There would be found stocks for the fingers (the cheiroplast) and pulleys for the neck, with weights attached." Fanny Kemble, to whom nature had been by no means unkindly, was found wanting in deportment, and she writes that she wore a "back board made of steel, covered with red morocco, which consisted of a flat piece placed on my back and strapped down to my waist with a belt and secured at the top by two epaulets strapped over my shoulders. From the middle of this there rose a steel rod or spine with a steel collar, which encircled my throat, fastened behind." The machine proved a failure, and she was put under the tuition of a drill sergeant, who did for her all that was required.—"Social England."

A Meteorological Phenomenon.

A few days ago the Vicksburg (Miss.) Herald said in a jocose way that there would be relief from yellow fever as soon as J. Frost arrived. Two days later the editor received this letter:

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 27.

I see in your columns an inquiry about J. Frost. I am the wife of J. Frost, and I'd like to know what you want of J. Frost. Please advise all parties concerned to address me at once in regard to this.

MRS. ELIZA FROST.

The Vicksburg paper prints this letter and adds:

In explanation of the matter referred to in the foregoing it may be said that the little article in The Herald did not refer to any individual known as Frost, but to a meteorological phenomenon.

Could Hardly Get Around.

"I was all run down and had no energy. I became reduced in flesh and could hardly get around. The prescriptions tried did me no good and my wife advised me to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. I did so and in a short time was relieved. Since then I have always taken Hood's Sarsaparilla when needing a blood purifier or tonic." T. P. Covault, High St., Covington, O.

Hood's Pills are the favorite cathartic. 25c.

Why He Rebelled.

"You were very devoted to her, and now you don't speak."

"No. One has to draw the line somewhere, you know. I let it pass when she promised to be a sister to me until I learned whom she was going to marry. Then I kicked. I don't want him for a brother-in-law."—Chicago Post.

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MINERS WORRIED.

They Remonstrate Against Chinamen Digging Coal In Illinois.

Springfield, Ills., Nov. 10.—A remonstrance against allowing Chinese coal miners to be imported into the state for the purpose of mining coal at Wilmington and other towns in place of the striking miners will be placed before Governor Tanner in the name of the United Mine Workers.

Secretary W. D. Ryan says if the Chinese are imported and set to work in the northern coal field bloodshed will surely result and open rebellion and warfare will follow.

If Governor Tanner refuses to interfere Secretary Ryan says the matter will be carried to President McKinley.

Can't Get Chinamen.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—Sam Moy, "Mayor of Chinatown" Wah Sing and Hip Lee three of the authorities in the Chicago Chinese colony, say the plan of importing Mongolian miners from Wyoming to fill the places of the striking miners of the Braidwood district has fallen through, and that the agent of the Six Companies has served notice on the coal company that he will be unable to supply the necessary men.

District Attorney Killed.

Carson, Nev., Nov. 10.—In revenge for an alleged wrong to his sister, Julian Guinan, 16, shot and fatally wounded Charles Jones, United States district attorney. Jones died soon after the shooting. An hour or two after Jones' death Guinan surrendered himself at the sheriff's office and confessed that he had shot Jones, whom the boy accused of improper intimacy with his sister.

Committed For Extradition.

London, Nov. 10.—J. B. Ford, alias Fisher, alias Simpson, who completed a term of imprisonment in Holloway jail last Wednesday, and for whose extradition to the United States application was made by Detective Witte of Cincinnati on behalf of the Cincinnati Coffin company, which charges Ford with forgery, was committed for extradition.

Made an Assignment.

New York, Nov. 10.—John Palmer, who carried on business under the the name of J. Palmer & Company, retail dealers in fancy goods, novelties and glassware, assigned to Max Pellborn, with preferences aggregating $16,625. The liabilities of the firm are estimated at $42,000 and the nominal assets at $50,000.

Mail Stage Held Up.

Guthrie, O. T., Nov. 10.—The mail stage running between Cheyenne and Canadian was held up by highwaymen, who rifled the mail pouches and secured about $400 in money and valuables. James Wilson, the stage driver, has been arrested for supposed complicity in the robbery.

Postoffice Robbed.

Raleigh, Nov. 10.—The safe in the Mockesville postoffice was blown open and robbed of $300, half the amount being in money and the rest in stamps The safe blowers cut the telegraph wire in two places to prevent any message being sent out after them.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For Nov. 9.

New York.

Beef—Family, $9 00@10 00; extra mess, $7 50@8 00; packed, $8 50@9 50 Cut meats—Pickled bellies, 6½@8c, pickled shoulders, 5¾c; pickled hams, 7@7½c Lard—Western steam, $4 50. Pork—Old mess, $8 50@9 25.

Butter—Western dairy, 12½@19c, creamery, 14@23½c, do factory, 9@13c Cheese—State, large, 8½@9¼c, small, 9@9½c, part skims, 6½@9c full skims, 3½@4c Eggs—State and Pennsylvania, 18@20½c western, fresh, 18½c

Wheat—97¾c. Corn—33½c. Oats—27c Rye—49c.

Pittsburg.

Cattle—Choice, 4 75@4 85; good $4 65@4 80; tidy butchers', $4 35@4 55; fair, $4 10@4 30, common, $3 00@3 50; heifers, $3 50@4 25; bulls, stags and cows, $2 00@3 60; fresh cows, $20 00@45 00.

Hogs—Yorkers, $3 90@3 95; mediums, $3 90@3 95; fair, $3 80@3 85; heavy, $3 80@3 90; rough, $2 50@3 75; pigs, $3 90@3 95

Sheep and Lambs—Choice, $4 40@4 50; good, $4 10@4 20; fair, $3 65@4 00; common, $2 75@3 25; choice lambs, $5 30@6 50.

Chicago.

Cattle—Beeves, $4 60@5 25, cows and heifers, $2 75@4 60; Texas steers, $3 40@3 90; western, $4 00@4 20; stockers and feeders, $2 80@3 30

Hogs—Light, $3 30@3 70; medium, $3 60@3 65, heavy, $3 25@3 50; roughs, $3 20@3 30.

Sheep and Lambs—Choice sheep, $4 50@4 60; common, $2 90@3 20, choice lambs, $5 90@6 00, exports, $3 00@3 10.

Wheat—97¾c Corn—26c. Oats—18⅝@18⅞c. Rye—47½c

Buffalo.

Cattle—Butchers', $4 25@4 75 shipping, $5 00@5 15; best steers, $5 00@5 25; good, cows and heifers, $3 50@3 90; stockers and feeders, $3 40@4 10, best, $3 50@4 25

Hogs—Yorkers, $3 90, roughs, common to good, $3 30@3 45; mediums and heavies, $3 85@3 87½, pigs, $3 95@4 00

Sheep and Lambs—Extras, $5 70@5 80, good prime $5 60@5 75, common, $4 75@5 40, choice lambs, $5 50@5 60

Cleveland.

Hogs—Yorkers and lights, $3 75; mediums and heavies, $3 70, stags and roughs, $3 00@3 50

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, $2 00@3 75 lambs, $4 00@5 50

Cattle—Steers, $3 75@4 50 heifers, $3 00@4 00, cows and bulls, $2 00@3 25

Cincinnati.

Wheat—No 2 red, 92c Corn—No 2 mixed, 29c. Oats—No 2 mixed, 21½@21¾c Rye—47c

Lard $4 12½ Bulk meats $4 65 Bacon—$6 15

Hogs $3 00@3 75 Cattle $2 25@5 10 Sheep—$2 25@5 10 Lambs $4 00@5 60

Boston.

Wool—Ohio fleeces, X and above, 25@26c, XX and above, 29c, delaine, 29@30c, No. 1 combing, 29@30c, No 2 combing, 29@30c.

Baltimore.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 23@24c Eggs—Fresh, 18@18½c

Toledo.

Wheat—92½c Corn—27c Oats—18½c Rye—47½c. Cloverseed—$3 17½.

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No. 4—Going East Daily			7 45 a m
" 38—	"		8 22 a m
" 20—	"	ex. Sunday,	3 15 p m
" 6—	"		9 30 p m
" 2—	"	Limited	10 50 p m
" 29—Going West.	"	ex. Sunday,	9 20 a m
" 9—	"		2 50 p m
" 31—	"		3 44 p m
" 15—	"		9 00 a m
" 5—	"	Limited	3 23 a m

C. H. & D. R. R.

Taking effect Sunday, July 4, 1897, at 4 o'clock a. m.

SOUTH.

No. 7, arrives daily			2:20 a m
7, leaves "			2:32 a m
11, " "	except Sunday		5:45 a m
1, arrives "	" "		9:37 a m
1, leaves "	" "		9:40 a m
5, arrives "			12:20 p m
5, leaves "			12:35 p m
arrives "			4:00 p m
leaves "			4:03 p m
arrives, except Sunday			9:35 p m
Sunday only, leaves			7:30 a m

NORTH.

2, arrives daily except Sunday			8:20 a m
2, leaves " " "			8 23 a m
14, " " "			5 55 a m
8, arrives "			12:25 p m
8, leaves "			12:40 p m
4, arrives "	except Sunday		4:20 p m
4, leaves "	" "		4:31 p m
10, arrives "			9:30 p m
12, arrives daily			1:17 a m
12, leaves "			1:20 a m
60, Sunday only, arrives			7:40 a m
60, " " leaves			7:43 a m

L. E. & W. R. R.

No. 6 Going East, daily ex. Sunday			1 20 a m
" 4— " " "			1 25 p m
" 2— " "			7 15 p m
" 1— "	West		9 40 a m
" 3— " " "			2 20 a m
" 5— " "			4 45 p m
"129— Minster acc. "			4 50 p m

C. C. C. & I. R. R.

Local—Going East, daily ex. Sunday			7 05 a m
No. 2— " " "			3 30 p m
" 6— " "			8 00 p m
" 13— " "			3 45 a m
Local— "	West.		7 30 a m
No. 1— " "			9 10 a m
" 5— " "			11 28 a m
" 3— " "			12 57 p m
" 13	Sunday		4 50 p m

OHIO SOUTHERN.

LEAVES SOUTH.

No. 1—Daily ex. Sunday		8:30 a m
No. 3— " " "		2:30 p m

ARRIVES NORTH.

No. 2—Daily ex. Sunday		11:30 a m
No. 4— " " "		5:15 p m

DETROIT & LIMA NORTHERN.

GOING NORTH.

No. 42, leaves daily except Sunday		6:35 a m
48, leaves daily except Sunday		11:35 a m
44, Tecumseh Accom except Sunday		5 30 p m
48, leaves Sunday only		8 00 a m
52, local, daily except Sunday		6 35 a m

GOING SOUTH.

41, arrives daily except Sunday		9:35 p m
3, arrives daily except Sunday		2 10 p m
5, Tecumseh Ac., ar. daily ex Sun		8:10 a m
9, arrives Sunday only		10 30 p m
3, local		4:15 pm

"THE ELECTRICIAN."

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"The Electrician," which will be seen Thursday night, deals with the adventures of a young electrical engineer who rises from his humble position to that of a millionaire mine owner. Dynamos, electrical apparatus and machines perfect in detail; comedy, bright and fresh; an American play by an American author, in the hands of a capable company—could not help but prove the success that it is.

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My daughter, after being treated by four doctors, and being given up for lost, a neighbor recommended Foley's Kidney Cure. To-day she is able to walk several miles without fatigue. I feel we would have lost her if it was not for your medicine.

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EPWORTH LEAGUE MEETING

To be Held at H. S. Searfoose's, in Monroe Center—The Programme—Bath and Sugar Creek Township News of Interest.

BATH TOWNSHIP NEWS.

Lewis Basset is improving slowly.

School began in the Thayer district last Monday; Miss Carrie Wright, teacher.

Sherman Burden's wife is on the sick list.

Services in the Union Chapel Sunday evening by Rev. Schutz.

Frank Edgecomb and Grant Hurley purchased a new corn husker and are now ready for business.

Wm. Fry's children spent Sunday at Frank Edgecomb's.

Mark Basset and family were guests at George Flager's, Sunday.

MONROE CENTER.

Quite a number from this place were seen in Cairo Saturday evening.

Miss Lottie Stenernagel, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Rush, of west Wayne street, Lima, for the past week, returned home Saturday evening.

Milton Auchmutey was elected delegate and S. R. Miller as speaker from the Monroe Center Sunday school to attend the Township Sunday school convention to be held at Cairo Nov. 21st.

Miss May Goble, of Beaver Dam, spent Sunday with her cousin, Miss Muzie Huston.

Messrs. Chas. Wallace, Jacob Smith, Andrew and Isaac Herring, of Cairo, attended services here Sunday afternoon.

Judge Robb, of Lima, was seen in this vicinity last Friday looking after political interests.

The programme for the third monthly business meeting of the Epworth League, to be held Nov. 13th, at H. S. Searfoose's, is as follows:

Song	
Prayer	
Recitation	Mrs. Emma States
Select reading	Jacob Miller
Recitation	Albert Jagger
Instrumental music	Miss Mary Goble
Recitation	Galo Jagger
Essay	Ora States
Recitation	Henry Stenernagel
Instrumental music	Clara Klinger

THE GYPSY QUEEN.

SUGAR CREEK.

The farmers of this locality are very jubilant, as the prospects for wheat are more flattering than before the rain.

S. D. Ridenour is busily engaged in getting out timber for the erection of a house and barn on his farm, which he intends finishing yet this fall.

Jim Fowler husks and cribs (80) eighty bushels of corn a day, and claims to be the champion husker of Sugar Creek township.

Jos. Jacobs and Reuben Harpster, accompanied by their wives, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends and relatives at Grover Hill.

Mrs. Dr. Bray, of Grove Hill, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. John Harpster, visited with friends in this vicinity last Monday.

Mrs. Emma Snyder and niece, Miss Carrie Tharp, who have been making their home at T. V. Moyer's for the past year, have gone to Cincinnati, which will be their future home.

J. Rinehart and W. J. Fowler have lost several head of hogs from cholera.

Mrs. Jos. Wort, of Packerton, Ind., is visiting with her brother Reuben Harpster.

Mrs. David Watkins and sister, Miss Nettie Thomas, have returned from a pleasant visit with relatives in Jackson county, Ohio.

Quite a number of young people from this vicinity attended the social at West Cairo Saturday evening, which was given by the L. G. E.

G. W. Wartz has treated his house to a coat of white paint and a tin roof, which adds to its appearance very much.

IMMENSE ENGINES.

They Will Haul Steel Freight Cars Over the Pennsylvania Road.

The Pennsylvania road has four freight engines now in use which are larger and of greater freight pulling capacity than any other freight engines in the world.

They weigh 175,000 pounds. The next largest engines in use on the road weigh 119,000 pounds. The big engines will pull 62 per cent. more freight than the next largest engines on the road. On the steepest grade on the road one of the big engines drew 1,325 tons. The best that an ordinary engine can do on the same grade is to pull 800 tons.

The engines were built and designed by the road officials at the company's shops at Altoona. Their great size and pulling capacity comes from their immense boilers and the increased size of their fire boxes. Their steam chests are only two inches larger each way than those on the smaller engines, but a good sized man, standing on the steam chest, can't look over the top of the boiler, and the headlight is so high that it looks as if it were on top of a mountain.

The boilers are built to carry 200 pounds of steam, against 160 for the ordinary engines. The gain of 62 per cent. in power is made at an expense of much less than a 62 per cent. increase in the consumption of fuel and the road expects its big engines to be great money savers. If they prove as good as they seem they will supplant all the smaller engines.

The only engines anywhere which approach them in size are the passenger engines of the Southern Pacific. They are about the same weight, and, being built for speed and not for pull, have larger driving wheels. To go with the big engines the road is experimenting with steel cars. A number of them are now in use on the road. The best wooden cars will carry 75,000 pounds. The steel cars will carry 100,000 pounds and weigh less than the wooden cars.

In a few days the road will make up a train exclusively of steel cars and draw it with one of the big engines.

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On actual experiment one grain of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest three thousand grains of meat, eggs and similar wholesome foods.

It is safe to say if this wholesome remedy was better known by people generally it would be a national blessing, as we are a nation of dyspeptics and nine tenths of all diseases owe their origin to imperfect digestion and nutrition.

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Women Need not be Discouraged.

The nervous tension under which most of our women constantly live affects the female organism seriously. Heavy household burdens, social gayeties, work in some commercial establishment, any of these duties seem impossible to women who are ill and yet they keep up for a time under pressure of the demands upon them. When they do break down, the advice and treatment they receive from their family physician don't go to the root of the trouble and they get no better. They are discouraged, worn out, tired of life. The great specialist in women's diseases, Dr. Greene, of Nervura fame, has shown thousands of women who thought themselves hopeless invalids the way to health by his wonderful curative medicines. The office of Dr Greene's remedies, 148 State St., Chicago, Ill., is open to all women for free consultation and advice, or if you will write about your case, advice will be given you by mail absolutely free of all cost and confidentially. The glorious remedies discovered by this profound physician are an invaluable boon to women. It costs nothing to be put on the road to health, and all ailing women should write at once.

Stagnation.

Stagnation is more dangerous than revolution, but sudden change means a house on sand. Action and reaction is the miserable seesaw of our child world. If these extreme men had their way, the end of the century would be plunged in blood, a universal French revolution. What we have to bear in mind is that, even in a republic, there must be a guiding hand; men of education, experience, weight and wisdom must continue to come forward. They who will not be ruled by the rudder will in the end be ruled by the rock.—Tennyson.

CHILDREN THRIVE ..ON.. POSTUM Cereal Food Coffee.

RETURNED TO WORK.

Miners in Illinois Break a Long Spell of Idleness.

Braidwood, Ills., Nov. 10.—Five hundred coal miners, who have been on strike since July 4, returned to work in the Braceville mine. The men will receive 77½ cents per ton, an advance of 10 cents, no rent will be collected for the strike period, and coal will be supplied to them at a reduction of 50 cents per ton.

Talk of importing Chinese labor to fill the places of the strikers in the other mines of this district continues to excite strong comment among the miners. Work was continued on the stockade at Carbon Hill, where it is said the Chinamen will be put to work.

A meeting was held to elect delegates to a general conference at Streator, which will determine whether or not a compromise will be accepted similar to the one at Braceville.

W. D. Ryan, state secretary of the Mine Workers, was present and read a telegram from his representative at Springfield saying that Governor Tanner would prohibit the importation of Chinese labor.

This message had a cheering effect throughout the district, and the feeling among the English-speaking miners is that there will be no serious trouble.

WILL STAND PAT.

Marion Lodge of Elks Refuse to Expel Bob Fitzsimmons.

Marion, Ind., Nov. 10.—The Marion lodge of Elks some time ago admitted Robert Fitzsimmons as a member. The action being an alleged violation of the rules of the order the Marion lodge was lately commanded by the grand exalted ruler to expel Fitzsimmons.

The lodge has decided to stand by his initiation and refuses to act until the matter is finally decided by the supreme ruler of the order, H. B. Detmore of Harrisburg, Pa.

An Audacious Foreigner.

Trenton, Nov. 10.—John Zahn, a Pole, with his wife and five children, appeared at the statehouse and demanded an audience with the governor. He said he wanted $6,000 to take him to the state of Washington, where he and his family belonged. His demand was refused, but a subscription was taken up by a number of citizens only to meet with a refusal from Zahn. A policeman was called and Zahn was arrested. The authorities afterward furnished transportation to Philadelphia for him and his family.

Not a Good Defense.

Springfield, Ills., Nov. 10.—Eliza Nillahan sued the Equitable Mutual Insurance company of Watertown, Ia., for $3,000. The defendant pleaded it was not licensed to do business in Illinois, and that it had no power to enter into a contract with the insured. Judge Creighton of the circuit court sustained the demurrer to this plea, holding that noncompliance with the insurance laws of the state was no defense.

Case Not to Be Reopened.

Paris, Nov. 10.—The minister of war, General Billot, informed the cabinet that he had notified M. Andre Castellan, managing editor of The Cocarde and member of the chamber of deputies from the Second division of Laon, and M. Leon Mirman, deputy from the First division of Reims, that, in the absence of new evidence, the government had decided not to reopen the Dreyfus case.

Fired His Last Shot.

Philadelphia, Nov. 10.—Charles Gerbach, a cigar manufacturer, attempted to kill his father-in-law, Frederick Fritz, and the latter's son, Joseph, by shooting them. He then sent a bullet through his own brain and died soon after being admitted to the Episcopal hospital. Fritz and his son are beer bottlers and are said to be wealthy.

Will Not Accept.

Rome, Nov. 10.—The vatican officially contradicts the published report that the forthcoming papal encyclical on the Manitoba school question would undertake to accept the compromise suggested by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the premier of Canada, namely, neutral schools with religious instruction after school hours.

Turned on the Gas.

New York, Nov. 10.—Ernest Searland, 25, an Englishman, committed suicide in his room by turning on the gas. He left a letter addressed to W. Bernard, an actor now playing in this city. Bernard said that despondency caused by family troubles and lack of funds had probably prompted the suicide.

Wants More Pension.

Berlin, Nov. 10. A man named Lange, who for 20 years has been Prince Bismarck's head forester in the Sachenwald, and who was pensioned last summer, has begun suit against the prince to enforce the payment of an additional pension, which the ex-chancellor refused to grant.

He'll Be Good Now.

New York, Nov. 10.—After making a desperate effort to murder his wife in their apartments John Falihee, 21, committed suicide. The suicide pawned his overcoat for the revolver with which the deed was committed.

Turf Winners.

At Lakeside—La Princessa, Abe Fashion, Laureate, Fred Breens, Glenmoyne.

At Washington—Rossifer, Sanger, Manassas, Bromo, Lohengula.

At Cumberland Park—Found, Lady Brittanic, Mill Stream, High Test, Lexington Pirate.

The Weather.

For West Virginia—Generally fair; light variable winds.

For Ohio—Partly cloudy; warmer; light northerly winds.

For Indiana—Partly cloudy; slowly rising temperature; southerly winds.

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In other words,

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THE OUTDOOR CHURCH.

The carven pillars of the trees,
The flowered mosaic of the grass,
The green, transparent traceries
Of leaf on leaf that lightly lies
And lightly moves when breezes pass.

The anthem of the waterfall,
My chorister the blackbird's lay,
And, mingling with, suffusing all,
Borne by the wind and still let fall,
The incense of the new mown hay—

This is my church, my altar there.
Here earth, the kindly mother, kneels.
Her mighty hands outspread in prayer,
While o'er her brow the sunny air,
A south wind full of blessing, steals.

She wraps me in her mantle fold.
I kneel and pray beside her there
As children do whom mothers hold.
And living air and sunlight gold
And wood and meadow pray with me.

—Eva Keane in Spectator.

BUTTERWORTH'S THEORY.

His Lenient Way of Treating For Reformation Embryo Criminals.

Commissioner of Patents Butterworth is one of the men who believe that a prosecuting attorney is better engaged in side tracking embryo criminals on the road to perdition and getting them on the road to righteousness than in corralling them for shipment to the penitentiary, where they are thrown into association with professional crooks. Several years ago Major Butterworth was prosecuting attorney in southern Ohio and he had the opportunity to test his theory regarding the discrimination that should be used in dealing with men newly launched into crime. A young farmer was arrested for passing counterfeit shinplasters, as the 50 cent note was known, and the case was put in the hands of Major Butterworth. The young man told his story. He had saved several hundred dollars, had left his wife and little children and had taken a boat down the Mississippi river, purposing to settle on a new farm he was to buy with his hard earned savings. On the boat he met an extremely pleasant and well dressed stranger, who learned of his mission and proceeded to make himself agreeable. In a moment of extreme confidence the stranger told the young man of a large quantity of money he had which was made from plates that had formerly belonged to the government and which the government had long since sought to recover, etc. The young man was struck by that remarkable method of acquiring wealth when he had toiled and saved for years to get his few hundred. In a burst of generosity the stranger offered to exchange some of his money for greenbacks belonging to his new found friend, so that the latter should have two dollars for every one he possessed. The bait was tempting and the fish bit. At the next landing the well dressed man disappeared from the boat and the dupe became alarmed. He became suspicious of his new money and was afraid to offer it in payment of his passage. He, too, left the boat, determined to go back home. He started to walk and became footsore. He began shoving the money to buy something to eat, the counterfeit was discovered and the arrest was made. Major Butterworth took in the situation.

"I told that young man," he said, in relating the story, "that if God had made him a dishonest man he had failed to put a sign on his face. I told him to go home to his wife and children as an honest man. He could scarcely realize that he had escaped the penitentiary. He went home, and a more honest or better citizen I do not know today. That man had not the heart of a criminal, but if he had been sent to the penitentiary his children would have been disgraced for life and probably he would have belonged to the criminal class for life."—St. Louis Republic.

Changed the Tune.

This story is told of an eccentric Hastings parson: One day, on visiting the belfry, he found a whitewasher whistling a dance tune as he worked. The parson reproved him sharply for choosing such music for such a place.

"Beg your pardon, sir," said the man, "but I forgot where I was," and then to show he was sorry he started whistling the "Old Hundredth." His hand, however, kept time with the music, and so the "Old Hundredth" made the whitewash brush go wonderfully slow.

"Oh, get back to your dance tune," the old parson shouted, "or the job'll never be done!"—Strand Magazine.

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J. R. Niblo, ex-school superintendent of Rochester, Pa., says: "I have been a great sufferer from asthma for years, but I have had a splendid winter, owing to the surprising efficacy of Brazilian Balm." A lady in Cincinnati, who had suffered with asthma for 17 years, could no lie down; was perfectly cured with Brazilian Balm.

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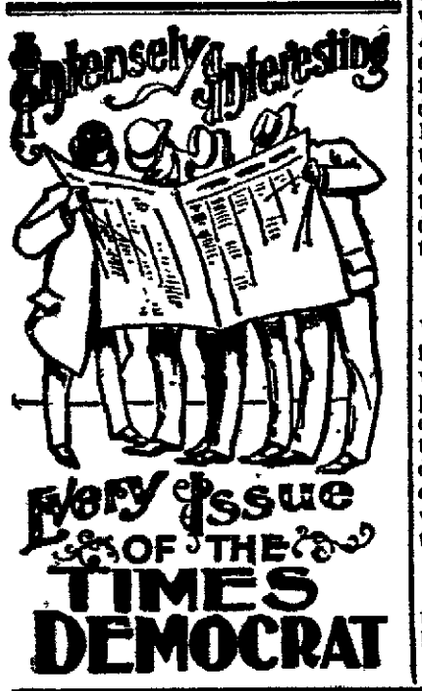

Consul General Osborne, at London, has made a report of the state department upon the trade of the United Kingdom in 1896. It shows that the imports were $125,596,730 more than in 1895, and from the United States alone the excess was $98 992,430. The exports show a large increase, valued at $1,200,727,755—an excess of $70,000,000 over the previous year. The balance in favor of the United States last year was $370,000,000 greater than at any time in the last fifteen years, and probably at any time prior to that period. The articles imported from the United States specially mentioned are as follows: Oxen and bull, $10,000,000; butter, $1,700,000; unwrought and partially wrought copper, $5,000,000, corn (wheat), $10,000,000, oats, $5 000,000; maize, $7,500; wheat meal, or flour, $7,000,000; raw cotton, $25,000,000. apples, $2,000,000; tires and axles, $5,000,000; slates, $435,000

Nearly one-half of our whole export trade goes to Great Britain, and with the addition of the exports to British colonies the trade exceeds that of all other countries combined.

STREET FIGHT.

Drunken Man Beaten by a Foreman on Market Street.

Late yesterday afternoon a fight occurred on west Market street where the paving work is in progress. Arthur Bricker, a young man in the employ of contractor Wildes, was intoxicated, and created considerable disturbance among the men at work He finally got into a wrangle with the foreman in charge of the concrete workers and was given a severe thumping. After quite a tussle, detective Roney landed the fellow at the police station.

Ladies of the Y. M C A.

Will endeavor to reorganize a physical class Thursday at 4:30 o'clock. A very few more signatures are to be procured. Everybody, bring some one with you. Isn't it possible to get thirty-five teachers, students and ladies of leisure for a class that means everything to them in the present as well as the future? Nobody wishes to exist without health.

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HE HAD NO MONEY,

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Mrs Levi Weaver the Plaintiff in a Divorce Suit—Mayor Baxter Files the Hog Creek Petition for the City.

The county commissioners were in session yesterday and allowed bills and awarded several minor contracts. The board considered the case of Leslie Ward, who is confined in the Dayton workhouse on account of nonpayment of fine and costs. The board ordered his release, as there was no probability of his being able to pay the same. Ward was arrested at Delphos for a misdemeanor, and being unable to pay the fine and costs, was sent to the Dayton workhouse.

HOG CREEK PETITION.

A few weeks ago the question of ditching Hog creek was brought to the attention of the board by the city council, and the latter was advised to bring the matter before the board by a petition. At the meeting yesterday the following petition was presented, and was received and placed on file.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners Allen County, Ohio:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the city council of the city of Lima, Ohio, held October 18th, 1897, it was "Resolved, that the mayor be authorized to petition your honorable board to open a channel in the Ottawa river, from the present terminus of a ditch constructed by the city of Lima in said stream to such point in said river as in the opinion of your honorable board may be necessary for the proper and complete drainage of said stream"

In accordance with said resolution the undersigned set his hand and affixed thereto the seal of the city of Lima, Ohio, this 20th day of October, 1897. THE CITY OF LIMA,
By Samuel A. Baxter, Mayor.

SUIT FOR DIVORCE.

Mrs. Levi Weaver, the wife of Levi Weaver, a farmer of Richland township, has instituted proceedings for a divorce against her husband. Attorneys Hamilton & Bently represent the plaintiff and Ridenour & Halfhill are counsel for the defendant. The petition recites that they were married Aug. 14, 1881, and that three children have been born to them. She alleges as her grounds for a divorce gross neglect of duty and extreme cruelty on the part of her husband She asks for the custody of the children and was granted a temporary injunction restraining the defendant from disposing of any of his property until the final hearing of the case. She prays for alimony pending the hearing of the suit and on the final hearing asks for a reasonable alimony. The hearing of the temporary injunction will be held next Friday.

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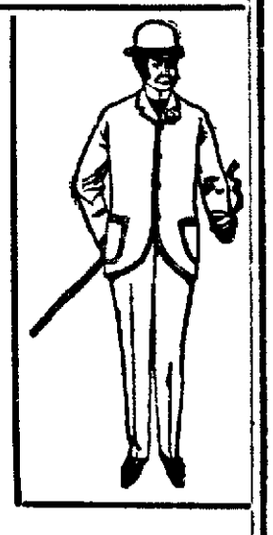

Before Closing We Wish to Say a Word to the Stylish Dressers

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EIGHT HOUR TOWER SERVICE.

The Peru (Ind.) *Journal* says Ehler & McCormick, the drilling contractors, are the first to put into effect the eight hour tower service in Peru. Heretofore there towers have been twelve hours each and two sets of men were needed, but under the new system three sets will be needed.

TEST WELL AT ANDREWS.

The drill in the test well at Andrews, Ind, has been stopped after reaching the depth of four hundred feet. A vein of the foul water was struck at that depth, and well versed oil men say water of that kind was never before encountered in their experience. It has an offensive odor. It will be necessary to stop the drill and case the hole to the bottom, after which they will have to drill a smaller hole or pull the casing down below the water mark. The drillers have experienced some tough luck on the venture, as they were compelled to fish for the spud at 75 feet, and now they will be delayed some time in casing off this new found fluid.

The Montpelier (Ind.) *Herald* says: The holdings of the Slater Oil and Gas Company were sold from the Columbus hotel porch to the National Supply Company, of Toledo, O, which had a lien of $2 200. It is understood that the National gave a check for $1,500 besides its claim for the property, which consists of five wells and a power on the Oscar Byall farm nine miles west from Montpelier. The National was the highest of several bids. The Slater company went into the hands of a receiver nearly two years ago and was sold once before to J H Slater, of Indianapolis. The members of the original company were unacquainted with the oil business, so their venture was a losing one. Two of the wells on the farm are said to be fair producers.

Guns, bicycles, sewing machines or "any old thing" successfully repaired by Kohler at the Lima Cycle Co., 210 south Main street. 2-2t

The Bimetallic Club

of Bath township will meet at the township house Tuesday evening, Nov 16th, at 7 o'clock. Important business to be transacted.

H. H. ROUSH, Pres.

THE CONTRACTS

For the New C., H. & D. Shops Awarded Yesterday.

TWO FOREIGN COMPANIES

The Successful Bidders—Over Half of the Pennsylvania Railroad's Dividends Go Abroad—D. & L. N. and O. S. Not to be Merged.

The C., H. & D. has awarded its contracts for the building of the new car shops at this place. The bids were opened and the awards made at the Cincinnati general offices yesterday forenoon. The Toledo Bridge Company received the contract to do the constructural iron work. To the Moulton Starret Company, of Chicago, the contract was awarded to do the general work. By the contract the entire work is to be completed by next spring. That part of the shops on which work has been begun is to be completed by the first of January.

Two contractors from this city, Jacob Spyker and J. R. Mowen & Son, were bidders, but their figures were above those of the Chicago company.

SETTLED OUT OF COURT.

Five important cases against the Pennsylvania road have been settled out of court by claim agent F. L. Richardson, which disposes of some of the most trying legal perplexities the Pennsylvania company has had for years, because of the difficulty of securing the proper evidence. These cases were for damages by fire in the Kankakee marsh, alleged to have had its origin from sparks thrown out by engines owned by the defendant company, the fire starting on the right of way, then communicating to the adjacent fields and burning the muck. As a matter of fact there was no liability on the part of the company, but the proof was of such a nature that it was extremely difficult for the company to secure a verdict in the court, hence the settlements.

WILL ABANDON THE O. S.

The promoters of the Detroit and Lima Northern have given out that they will not consolidate their property with the Ohio Southern. It was generally supposed that the D & L. N. was really an extension of the Ohio Southern, but now the people of that road claim that no advantage would accrue to them by consolidation or close arrangement with the O. S. From this statement it would appear that the D & L N is about to desert its old ally, and try to form an alliance with some other lines. It is understood that the Lima Northern is trying to secure a division of rates with other coal lines in Ohio. As the Detroit and Lima Northern is looked upon as the only disturbing element in the coal situation, it is reported that the other lines have refused to participate in rates to Detroit over the D. & L. N.

THE L. E. & W. WINS.

Irvin Belford, clerk of the federal court at Toledo, who was appointed special master in the case of the city of Fremont against the L E. & W., in which that city endeavored to prevent the railroad company from filling in the Fremont trestle, rendered his decision yesterday, finding in favor of the L. E. & W. The company has two bridges across the Sandusky river, and connecting them is a trestle over an island some 1 500 feet in length. The company wished to fill in this trestle and made a solid embankment across the island, but the city objected on the grounds that it would be injurious to the city's property on account of the river flooding the lower portions of the city during high water. In his decision Mr. Belford gave the following upon that point: "I find and report that the building of the embankment across the island in the Sandusky river will not cause the injuries threatened and complained of in the complainant's bill."

FROM THE O. S. TO THE D. & L N.

W. H. Yessell, car accountant of the Ohio Southern, has severed his connection with the O. S. and has accepted a position with the D & L N., with headquarters at Tecumseh, Mich. E B. Farrell, who has been the car tracer for the O. S., has been promoted to the position made vacant by the resignation of W. H. Yessell.

STILL SHOW A DECREASE

Eastbound freight shipments for the week ending Nov. 4th amounted to 50,667 tons against 58,722 the previous week, and 68,694 last year.

NOTES

A new time card will go into effect on the D, & L. N. and D., T. & M. next Sunday.

William R. Myer, chief clerk to general freight and passenger agent Chambers, of the Detroit & Lima Northern and Detroit, Toledo & Milwaukee, was married to day to Miss Carrie Margaret Dater, daughter of Mr. Gilbert Dater, of Westwood.

Railway companies no longer stand sponsors in any way for debts which may be contracted by men in their employ, and the results have been quite satisfactory. It has made the men more economical, and they are learning to make one month's pay last until the next pay day, in some cases laying by a little money each month for a rainy day.

The Pennsylvania railroad is building five more of what are known as class "H-4" locomotives. When completed the company will have ten of these engines in use. They are built especially for their western lines lake trade, and are the heaviest in use by this company.

The Pennsylvania railroad's semi-annual dividend of 2½ per cent. involves the disbursement of $3,232,000, nearly half of which will go abroad. And yet this company claims that it must enjoin the city of Lima and prevent the proposed issuance of shop bonds, in order to protect its treasury.

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The Lima Cycle Co, 210 south Main street, has secured the services of Joseph Kohler, an expert bicycle and gun repairer. Mr. Kohler was formerly with the Western Wheel Works, of Chicago, for seven years, and is an accomplished mechanic. He has his own special machinery and will do all kinds of light repairing, such as bicycles, guns, sewing machines, or any household necessity that needs repairing. All work guaranteed and prices the lowest.

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The Season of Opera—The Subscription About Complete.

Great interest has been manifested on all sides in regard to the proposed season of opera, and the engagement is now an assured fact. A personal canvass has been made by Mr. Heywood, manager of the Andrews Opera Co. The number of commutation books to be sold is limited, and anyone desiring to take advantage of the books, which means six tickets for $5, can leave their names at Melville's drug store to day or to-morrow. The sale of books will close Thursday evening and the sale of single seats will open Friday morning. The prices for reserved seats then will be $1 in orchestra and 75c in parquette.

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rendered by the Junior Leaguers in Grace church to night, if you will encourage them by your presence and financial mite. 5 cents. Be there.

S S. Association Meeting

The Monroe and Sugar Creek Township Sunday School Association will meet at West Cairo, O., Nov. 20 and 21, commencing Saturday evening at 7 o'clock. Sunday 9:30 a m. and at 2 and at 6 p. m. There is an excellent programme out to that effect. Everyone is invited.

STEWART BRICE

Writes an Article on Practical Politics.

MORE THAN 350,000 PEOPLE

Included Within the Territory of the 4th Council District, Which Mr. Brice Will Represent—An Important and Responsible Position.

The New York *Journal* of a recent date contains the following article contributed to it by Stewart M. Brice councilman-elect from the 4th council district. The district which Mr Brice will represent was carried for him by a plurality of over 5,000. The same district last year gave McKinley a plurality of over 23,000.

The territory included within the district which Mr. Brice will represent contains a population greater than that of the city of Cincinnati. There were 68,286 voters registered in the 4th district this season, which, at the ordinary proportion of five persons to each voter, would indicate a population of 341,430. This is on the assumption that all voters residing within the territory had registered. It seldom occurs, except in presidential election years, that such is the case. There were probably enough votes not registered to increase the estimated population of the district to 350,000.

That which impressed me most in the campaign just ended was the amount of respect shown and the close attention given at all the political meetings. It was an assurance of the deep interest taken by the people in the selection of their public servants, as well as a manifestation of their prime characteristic, love of fair play.

I found the people strongly aroused on the questions of home rule and personal liberty. In the new charter we have been given a moiety of home rule by its Republican framers, but we must keep up the fight until we secure it in its entirety. Nothing short of the absolute privilege of making their own local laws and regulations will ever satisfy the people of this community.

In the three weeks preceding the election I made upwards of seventy-five speeches and visited every section of my district, which, in territory and population, is the largest in the city. I found the people wide awake, well informed and intensely in earnest. The result of the election is convincing proof that they know what they want and understand the means through which it can be secured. I cannot but recall with some satisfaction that the rank and file of the voters, whose interests were identical with mine, came to me long before the election, or as soon, rather, as I had declared my intention of entering the race, and discussed the important issues uppermost in their minds with me personally. They seemed to be thoroughly familiar with those important questions that every voter in Greater New York appears to have familiarized himself with in this campaign.

There is some satisfaction in being taken into the confidence of the men whose honest vote is the power to elect. And when a citizen, either of high or low origin, came to me for expressions of sentiment, opinion or political belief, I entered at once into his frame of mind, and we talked thoroughly above board. Perhaps one older in politics would have been more guarded than I in many matte involving personal belief, but when a voter with the same individual voting power as myself comes to me as a man, talks to me as a man, he deserves to be treated as one.

The candidate and the voter should go hand in hand through a campaign as I found in this last fight. The political precepts that are traditionally withheld by some of the political parties from the voting element are never too old, nor should they be too obscure, to be put logically and clearly before them, for their suppression always has a tendency to inspire doubt, which is the forerunner of civil war in organizations. I discerned the presence of an intense anxiety to know just exactly what Tammany Hall and its nominees intended to do for the people, and I therefore carried my platform on my breast, so to speak, talked to the issue, invited inquiry and conducted my campaign in the open.

Throughout the entire campaign, and it was necessarily a vigorous one I noticed the magnificent earnestness of the men who clustered at our meetings, and who mentally digested the expressions they had heard from the platform. After adjournments I always found little knots of men assembled in the neighborhood turning over in their minds the things that had been dealt out to them by practical political speakers, reducing every utterance to its prime value, its effect upon their welfare, their rights, their freedom of thought and action, and its value to the community. I can never dissociate myself from the ever present fact that those men will hold me personally responsible for my acts, that they will look to me for tangible evidence of my sincerity and honest intentions.

Tammany Hall, through the fidelity of those same men, has got control of the government of this municipality, and will revive its failing, tottering energies to the end that all men coming under the jurisdiction of its policy will profit.

Already, and the echoes of the election have not yet passed beyond hearing, those same men, who cast their ballots for me, are beginning to look forward with confidence to the dawn of a new political era, and they are sharing their hopes with me. Even the commonest working man, clad in his overalls and striding to work with his lunch bucket on his arm, is figuring on the direct advantage to this community of the re-establishment of Tammany Hall in the chair of government.

He is not deceived into the belief that with the fall of so-called reform the city and its future is destined to decay, for he knows that what prosperity and progress that has been the lot of New York came to it through the policy and under the direction of Tammany Hall. Greater New York will never again be the scene of political experiments, at the cost of the taxpayers and to the detriment of its upbuilding, which begins anew with the advent of the incoming administration and its principles of progress.

I firmly believe in party organization. Responsible government can only be had through it. There would be no necessity for so-called "reform movements" if those estimable citizens who discover every decade or so that they are the only ones who can give us responsible government would devote themselves and their influence to the benefit of their party organization.

The wisdom of the people's selection on Tuesday last will, I am satisfied, be thoroughly justified, and I think we can all look forward, in common citizenship, to a period of good government under Democratic administration which will confound our friends, the enemy, and insure to all our people the full and free enjoyment of personal liberty.

STEWART M. BRICE.

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A GAME FOR A LIFE.

I think none of the stories of duels told to me by my friend Depaille impressed me with more horror than the story, told with vivid power, of the encounter between Major Belvois and D'Aubigny, the duelist.

According to my friend, D'Aubigny came of an old family that had from the days of Henri Quatorze given France both soldiers and statesmen, but Jean was a shame and disgrace to the blood of his ancestors. When he chose, his speech and manners were those of the aristocrat, and even at his worst he had an air of distinction and a handsome person, but it was all mere surface polish, and from his youth up he was a living shame. He had wonderful abilities and was a poet of no mean caliber, but he was expelled from school, and after a reckless youth had to leave the army. He had a fortune which he squandered in a few years, after which he lived by gambling—by cheating, it was whispered, though none dared openly accuse him, so terrible had his reputation become.

Then began a career of infamy that one might almost say surpassed that of any of the bravos who wrought desolation in France. Some of them had a qualm of pity at times; D'Aubigny had none. His were the instincts of a tiger. He took a delight in wanton cruelty.

Depaille told me many stories about him, with which I will not trouble the reader, but come to the crowning tragedy of his career, which happened at Aix-les-Bains, whither, at the height of the season, D'Aubigny came and strutted about intimidating everybody. For instance, a wealthy but miserly shipbuilder who had come to Aix to take the waters was told one night a gentleman wished to see him, and the bravo was shown to his room.

"Good evening, M. Allier!" he said, with exaggerated politeness. "You are wealthy, I believe?"

"Slightly, monsieur, slightly," said the shipbuilder, rather pleased that so notorious a man as the duelist should notice him.

"And I, monsieur, have had the misfortune to become penniless this evening through distressing circumstances," said D'Aubigny, fixing his eyes on the shipbuilder.

"I am sorry to hear it," interrupted the shipbuilder.

"Nevertheless it is a fact," retorted the other. "I suggest to you, monsieur, that a loan of 20,000 francs would be an act of charity."

Poor Allier became pale, and his throat was very dry. "In—in other circumstances I should be glad to do you the favor, monsieur, but at present I have 200 francs I could place at your service for a short time."

"I said 20,000!" was the retort of the bravo.

"Monsieur, I am sorry, but I cannot."

"As you will," said D'Aubigny grimly as he rose. "In that case monsieur wishes me to regard him as an enemy. Very well. My enemies never live long."

The poor shipbuilder, almost paralyzed with fright, tried to obtain better terms for himself, but the bravo was adamant, and half an hour later he retired with £800 in his pocket—a loan, as he euphemistically termed it—and the shipbuilder fled home early the next morning lest he should be further bled.

That same day Henri Coustans, a lieutenant in the army, came to Aix with his mother, who had just buried her husband. Henri was an only son, and he was devoted to his mother, even still one of the most beautiful women in France. On the evening of the third day of his visit he was strolling alone along the promenade, when he came upon D'Aubigny just as the latter, who had drunk freely at dinner, met a peasant girl, a pretty young thing of 17 or so. D'Aubigny planted himself in front of her and demanded a kiss before he would allow her to pass. Greatly distressed, she besecched him in vain to allow her to pass, and when Henri came up she turned imploring eyes on him. The boy—for he was nothing more—recognizing the duelist, went to her.

"Take my arm," he said to her, and then, turning to D'Aubigny and speaking with great courtesy: "Monsieur, I am sure you do not understand that you are distressing this lady. Kindly allow us to pass."

D'Aubigny looked him over, then laughed insultingly. "Oh, ho, Master Jackanapes," he said, mimicking the other's courteous tones, "you have the impertinence to interrupt a tete a tete! Begone, puppy, or I will spoil your nice little uniform."

The boy's face flushed, but he was firm. "If monsieur is a gentleman, he will allow the lady to pass."

The bravo tried to take hold of his ear, but the lieutenant gave him a push that sent him sprawling on the road, and then, taking the arm of the frightened girl, conducted her some little distance and left her. He retraced his steps, trying to look cool, but he was greatly depressed. He would have to fight, he knew, and he was thinking of his mother.

The bravo, beside himself with anger, had come to meet him and aimed a blow at him with his cane. A crowd had collected, and a meeting was arranged to take place the next morning; weapons, pistols.

When the boy had gone away, there were many to remonstrate with the duelist, and even some of his friends, braving his displeasure, pleaded for one who was at most only a boy and the only son of his mother, but it was all in vain. He roughly bade his friends to leave him to manage his own affairs.

At 5 the next morning young Coustans met his formidable antagonist. He had spent a sleepless night in writing a letter to his mother, which his seconds were to give to her in case he fell.

It was with evident reluctance and only after remonstrance that the two seconds performed their duties, but at last the word to fire was given. The boy disdained to point his weapon at one he rightly regarded as a brute and fired into the air, but that brought in the heart of the bravo only a greater lust of blood, and while the boy stood waiting his fire with a refinement of brutality he raised his pistol with the greatest deliberation twice, thrice and then, with the infernal skill that never failed him, shot the boy through the lungs. Henri fell, and in a few seconds breathed his last after faintly murmuring: "Ma mere! Ma mere!"

The seconds had not the courage to break the news to the mother, but prevailed upon a priest, old in years and saintly in character, to relieve them. The dead boy's letter was infinitely pathetic. He implored his mother to think well of him. He knew the pain it would cause her, but he would not be worthy of his father's name if he allowed a defenseless girl to be wantonly insulted. "If I fall," he wrote in conclusion, "I shall die happy, knowing, mother dearest, you would rather your boy were dead than living a coward."

The mother smiled on the priest. "My Henri is as his father—a knight without fear," said she. Then she laughed pleasantly and fell into a swoon, and in the evening she was dead.

News traveled more slowly in those days, and it was some time before it reached the boy's regiment. The colonel raved, then fell to sobbing like a child, but Major Belvois, harsh of feature, harsh of voice, a crossgrained old bachelor who hid a heart of flesh beneath a forbidding exterior and had loved the boy like a son—for he knew the lad's father—said nothing, but later in the evening, with two companions, he was posting to Aix as fast as the horses could drag him.

He put up at the same hotel as the bravo and, introducing himself, made himself very pleasant to D'Aubigny. In four days he was on terms of great intimacy with the latter. The major lost 200 or 300 francs to him at cards. "I must have my revenge," he said laughingly. "Come to my rooms this evening, and we will have a quiet game with my two friends—a little square party."

"Right," said D'Aubigny, with a smile, and at 9 that evening he was admitted into the presence of the major and his brother officers.

"But produce the cards, mon ami," said D'Aubigny after a good part of an hour had elapsed.

"I rather think not," said the major quietly. "My friends object to playing with a cheat."

"Monsieur!" exclaimed the bravo in an extremity of astonishment.

"Bad taste of theirs, no doubt," said the major quietly.

"Who says I cheat?" asked D'Aubigny in a menacing tone.

"I do, of course," replied the major. "Every one knows it excepting my very innocent friends here."

"Monsieur," asked the bully, starting up, "do you mean to insult me?"

"Oh, no," said Belvois, with a most irritating grimace, "I never attempt impossibilities!"

"I do, then," cried D'Aubigny in a rage as he struck the major a furious blow.

The major bowed gravely. "That is an insult," he said calmly. "I have a little skill with weapons myself, and monsieur has, I know. Shall we not let fate decide the issue?"

"Yes, yes!" said D'Aubigny, laughing harshly. "Fate shall decide. Oh, yes, fate shall decide!" And he laughed again.

"Yes, fate shall decide," said the major, "and there is not a better oracle of fate than cards. Our difference shall be settled thus. Here is a pistol, a beautiful weapon. It shall be loaded and placed on the table. He who wins the game shall take the pistol, and at the length of the table he can hardly make a mistake."

"It is preposterous!" said D'Aubigny anxiously. "What game do you propose to play, monsieur?"

"A very simple game," returned the major, producing a new pack of cards. "We left this business to fate, and here are fate's 52 words. Our game is very simple—not skill, but fate. Is it not so? Our friends shuffle, cut and deal out ten cards to monsieur and me. The twenty-first card shall indicate trumps, and trumps only shall count. The queen—place aux dames!—shall be reckoned 20 points, the king 15, the knave 12 and the others according to their face value, the ace being 1. Whoever scores 100 first shall take up the pistol. Simple, is it not? Come, monsieur, seat yourself."

"No!" said D'Aubigny, rising. "I will fight a duel, but not take part in this melodrama. I will go and will send my seconds."

"Not so fast," said the major, locking the door. "We shall fight as I have ordained. Monsieur is not now dealing with a boy, the only comfort and stay of his widowed mother."

"But I refuse," said the bravo loudly. "This is a conspiracy. You mean to murder me. I have been lured here to be murdered."

The major looked at him for some moments. "No, you cannot understand honor," he said, "but we will have some one whom you can trust." And he sat down, wrote a note and sent it by one of his comrades. "I have asked the Duc de Clogny to join us. Perhaps monsieur will have confidence in him."

The duelist scowled, but did not reply.

In a short time the duke came, and the major, after apologizing, explained the circumstances.

The five seated themselves at the table, and then began one of the grimmest duels that were ever fought.

The duke, at the major's request, took the office of umpire, and in silence the cards were shuffled and 20 of them dealt face downward one on another between the two combatants. The next card was turned up. It was a spade.

One by one at the umpire's command the opponents showed their cards. The bravo had the queen and nine of spades, thus scoring 29 points; the major made but 12.

Again the cards were dealt. This time D'Aubigny raised his score to 68; the major had made but 21. D'Aubigny's spirits began to return, and a thin smile came on his lips. The major still sat cool and calm.

For the third time the cards were dealt, and the excitement of the three spectators was fast becoming horror as the game neared its conclusion, and they watched each card with a fascination that was almost pain. This time the major had five trumps—queen, king and knave—and the third hand finished with the major's score at 81 and the duelist's at 86.

D'Aubigny's confidence had gone. A single card could decide their fate, and his hand trembled. The major was a little paler, but still calm. D'Aubigny, in his efforts to appear calm, was ghastly to look upon. He was sweating at every pore, as indeed were the spectators. One of them afterward gave his impressions. He himself felt so sick that it was only by an effort that he could remain at the table, and as he looked round on his companions he saw that their faces were white and drawn. Nothing in all his life, not even the horrors of the battlefield, ever made such an impression on him.

In perfect silence the cards were shuffled and dealt. Hearts were trumps. "M. D'Aubigny," said the umpire, speaking with difficulty, "it is your turn to play."

D'Aubigny glanced round the table. Then, with trembling fingers, he took up a card and showed it. It was the king of diamonds.

"Now, M. Belvois." And the major played his card, the three of trumps.

"D'Aubigny 86, Belvois 84," said the umpire hoarsely. "Again, M. D'Aubigny."

This time the bravo showed the nine of trumps, the major's card was worthless.

"D'Aubigny 95, Belvois 84," called the umpire.

Again they were bidden to play, and the spectators, feeling that this was the fatal moment, held their breath, but neither drew trumps.

"Again, monsieur," came the command. D'Aubigny's trembling fingers could only pick up the card at the third attempt. It was the two of trumps.

"D'Aubigny 97, Belvois 84. Now, M. Belvois."

Belvois' iron nerve gave way for a moment, but only for a moment. He commanded himself, took his card and showed it. It was the queen of hearts.

"Belvois 104, D'Aubigny 97. The game is to M. Belvois." The duke rose from the table. The two officers rose also.

D'Aubigny sank back in his chair, the muscles of his face twitching until it was too hideous to look at. Suddenly, with the cry of a wild beast, he sprang forward and snatched up the pistol that lay on the table. "But it is to me!" he screamed, and on the instant fired at the major, but the major's eyes, as he afterward confessed, had never left his opponent's face, as he feared some treachery of the kind. He ducked as D'Aubigny fired, and the bullet only took the skin from the back of his head.

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Of what followed those who took part in it were ever after loath to speak, but the major never fired. The agonies of death through which he had passed were too much for D'Aubigny. Directly he had fired he set up an eldritch shriek of laughter. He was a raving, gibbering maniac, hopelessly insane.

He was taken by his friends, to be well guarded until he could be sent to an asylum, but four days later he died by his own hand.—London Tit-Bits.

A Herringbone Charm.

This was a case at Hertford petty sessions in which a wife endeavored unsuccessfully to obtain a separation from her husband. Defendant said the whole cause of the trouble was that his wife had unfortunately taken to drink, and also that she was always consulting a fortune teller. Defendant produced from a parcel a well worn vest, and, pointing to an object which had been tacked to the cloth, inside the lining, explained that it was a charm placed there by his wife. A neighbor had told her that when the charm withered he would die.

The Clerk (to complainant)—Did you put that in?

Complainant—Yes; I put it in to stop his jealousy and to make him give over fighting.

The Clerk—And this is the nineteenth century! What is the charm?

Complainant—A herringbone.

The Clerk—Any particular bone?

Complainant—I don't know. It came out of a herring.

The Clerk—And it has not had the desired effect?

Complainant—I don't know. I think not.

The Clerk—That is a great pity, as it is so cheap a charm that we might have supplied three charms free from the court, on application, for jealous husbands.

Complainant—I don't know why it did not work. It has succeeded in a number of cases.

The Clerk—If it is possible to cure a man of his jealousy so cheaply, I wonder it has not been tried before.

The defendant said he had never been a bad man to his wife, but he thought it time to say something when she struck him over the head with the rolling pin. Perhaps the charm was upside down.—Durham Chronicle.

Done With the "Turkle."

"It was in a small town in North Carolina. While standing on the street corner talking we saw an old darky coming toward us with a fishing pole thrown across his left shoulder, while in his right hand he was carrying a turtle, holding him by the tail. The old fellow's face was wreathed in smiles, for he was thinking of the 'turkle' soup he was going to have that day for dinner. I called my ventriloquist friend's attention to the old negro as he came shambling along. 'Ain't he happy?' said I. 'Visions of turtle soup are floating through his mind.' 'Wait till he gets up close to me, and I'll make that turtle speak to him,' said my friend. 'Can you do that?' 'Watch me,' said he.

"Just as the old fellow got alongside a voice, as if from the sky, said, 'Whar you gwine ter drap me?' The old man turned his eyes heavenward and said, 'Hi, who dat spoke?' Just then the voice came again, but this time it was unmistakably from the turtle. Looking down with astonishment and fear, he let go his prize, saying as he did so, 'I'ze gwine ter drap you right 'ere.' And he did. I called to him, 'Old man, come back and get your turtle!' 'No, suh. He can stay d'yar. I doan' want him!' 'Oh, come back!' said I. 'This man is a ventriloquist, and it was he that made the turtle speak.' Looking at my friend and moving off slowly in the opposite direction, he said, 'I doan' know nothin 'bout yo' whentrilogus, but the devil's in dat turkle, an I'm done wid him!' "—Rochester Post Express.

The Effect of Cold.

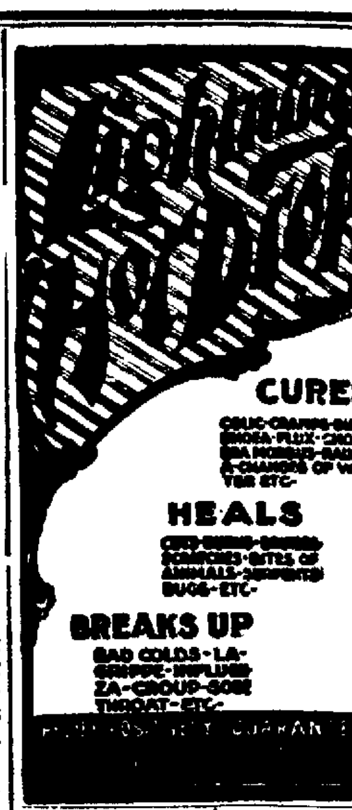
A bar of lead cooled to a point about 200 degrees F. below zero, according to the experiment of M. Pictet, gives out, when struck, a pure musical tone. Solidified mercury, at the same temperature, is also resonant, while a coil of magnesium wire vibrates like a steel spring.

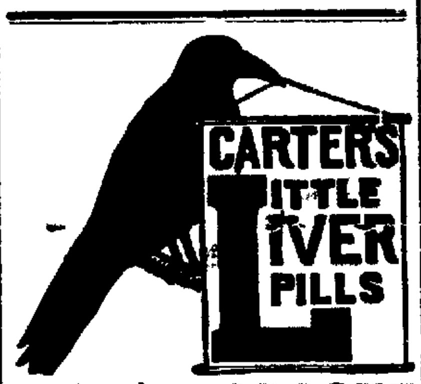
Neal Dow's First Temperance Work.

Neal Dow was 25 years old when he delivered his first temperance speech. It was at an anniversary supper of a fire company to which he belonged, and his strenuous opposition to the use of liquor was effective to that degree that the fire company adopted temperance as a principle. Later he prevailed upon the Maine Mechanics' Charitable association to forego the use of wine at its annual dinner.

At that time liquor was almost universally used in Maine. One of the curious customs of Portland in those days was the ringing of the town bell at 11 and at 4 o'clock by way of warning to mechanics that it was time to leave work and get a drink. This custom the young reformer succeeded in having abolished. Then he persuaded most of the Portland employers to discontinue supplying their men with liquor.

After his first successes Neal Dow felt that temperance was the most important cause of the age. It was owing largely to his efforts that the Young Men's Total Abstinence society of Portland was organized. Its first meeting, it is said, was held in the counting room of a distillery.—Harper's Weekly.





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Your SAN-JAK should be in every drug store in the country, and its wonderful properties and curative powers should be known to every physician in this grand republic. Another feature in SAN-JAK is the agreeable and pleasant taste, very much like Angelica wine. When one suffers for weeks and swallows infusions and fluid extracts hourly which are nauseous, repulsive and abominable to take, he can turn with joy, gratitude, and smiling welcome to SAN-JAK as a messenger of relief, and a pleasant elixir to have within call.

Respectfully,

ANDREW J. PARK, M. D.

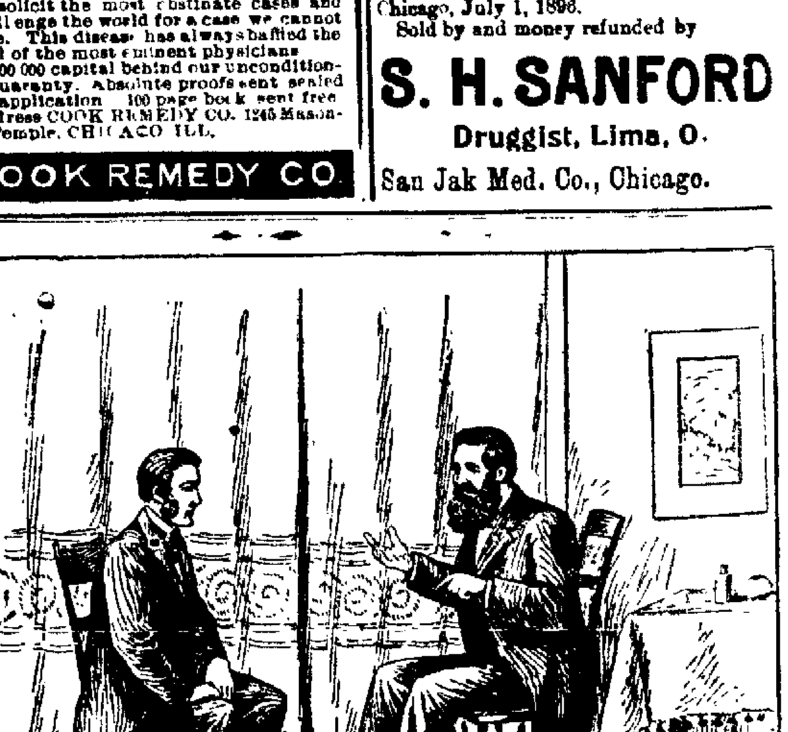
Chicago, July 1, 1896.

Sold by and money refunded by

S. H. SANFORD

Druggist, Lima, O.

San Jak Med. Co., Chicago.



A gentleman of a methodical habit, who had adopted the practice of retaining a copy of every prescription issued by his family physician, became interested as time went on to note that the same ingredients were pretty certain to be prescribed at some point of the treatment of every case. For a poor appetite, or a sore throat, for restlessness which disturbed the baby's sleep and for troubles which beset the aged grandparents, the favorite remedy was always turning up, although slightly modified from time to time and used often in conjunction with others. One day our friend happened to observe that the formula of

RIPANS TABULES

was identical with the latest prescription he had received from his own physician, and in some surprise he stated the case to him. The family doctor, after listening to what he had to say, replied: "The case is about this way. Whenever there is a disturbance of the functions of the body, no matter of what nature, it is pretty certain to be accompanied by a derangement of the digestive organs. When they are all right the patient gets well. That particular formula that you have observed me to write more and more frequently is the result of an age of careful experiment, and is pretty generally agreed upon now by all educated physicians who keep up with the times. The discovery of the past few years of the means of reducing every [illegible] pressing the powders into little lozenges or tablets, or tabules if you prefer, which will not break or spoil, or lose their good qualities from age, is the explanation of how it has come about that this prescription is now for sale as an advertised remedy. It is the medicine that nine people out of ten need every time they need any, and I have no doubt that making it so easy to obtain, so carefully prepared, and withal so cheap, will tend to prolong the average of human life during the present generation."

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No 4688.

...n 8 Page 143
...hn O. Halm, Plaintiff, vs. ...M. Halm et al., Defendants. } Allen Probate Court

...irtue of a writ of sale, issued from ...robate Court, of Allen county, Ohio, ...me directed, I will offer for sale at the ...oor of the court house in Lima, Allen ...y, Ohio, on

...RDAY, NOVEMBER 13th, A. D. 1897

...en the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock ... the following described lands and ...ents, situate in Lima, Allen county ...of Ohio, and described as follows, to-...

...t number eleven hundred and twenty-...(1123) in Miller's extended addition to ...ty of Lima, Ohio, as shown on the plat ...same as filed in the office of the county ...ter of Allen county, Ohio.

...raised at $2 300 00.

...ns of Sale:—½ cash, ½ in one year and ...wo years from day of sale deferred ...ents to be secured by mortgage on ...ses.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff
Allen County, Ohio

...a, Ohio, October 12th, 1897.
...ilton & Bentley, plaintiff's attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Case No. 4347.

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...Melly, Admr., Plaintiff, vs. ...ls Melly, et al. Defendant. } Allen Probate Court,

...irtue of an order of sale, issued from ...robate Court, of Allen county, Ohio, ...o me directed, I will offer for sale at ...ast door of the court house in Lima, ...county, Ohio, on

...URDAY, NOVEMBER 27th, A. D. 1897

...een the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock ..., the following described lands and ...ents, situate in Lima, Allen county, ...Ohio, and described as follows to-wit: ...inning at the northwest corner of sec ...hirty-six (36), township three (3), south ...ge six (6 east; thence east along the ...line of said section twenty (20) chains ...even (7) links; thence south twelve (12) ...s and seventy (70) links to the center of ...llentown road; thence north 70¾ de- ...west along the center of said road to ...est line of said section 36; thence north ...) chains and fifty-three (53) links to the ...of beginning, containing eighteen and ...acres, more or less. All in the city of ...in said county.

...praised at $6,000 00.
...ms of sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff,
Allen County, Ohio.

...a, Ohio, October 27 1897.
...tter & Mackenzie, plaintiff's attorneys

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 9251.

Doc. 16. Page 186
Lima Cemetery Association, Plaintiff, vs ...lenora Mowen, Defendant. } Allen Common Pleas.

...virtue of an order of sale issued from ...Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, ...and to me directed, I will offer for sale ...e east door of the Court House in Lima, ...county Ohio, on

...TURDAY, DECEMBER 11th, A. D. 1897.

...een the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock ..., the following described lands and tene-...ts, situate in Lima, Allen county, State ...hio, and described as follows, to wit: ...part of the northeast quarter of section ...ty-five (25) town three 3 south of range ...) east, described as beginning at the ...heast corner of said quarter section, ...ce south seven (7) chains and sixty (60) ..., thence west forty (40) chains and fifty ...inks to the west line of said quarter sec-... thence north seven (7) chains and thirty ...inks to the northwest corner of said ...ter section, thence east forty (40) chains ...fifty-eight (58) links to the place of be-...ing, excepting a strip off the north side ...of one and one-half (1½) rods wide; and ...excepting four (4) acres out of the south ...corner described as commencing at the ...h east corner of the first above described ...t, thence north fourteen (14) rods, thence ...forty five and five sevenths (45 5 7) rods ...ce south fourteen rods to the south line ...eof, thence east to the place of begin-... said last described tract having been ...tofore sold to John Mullennour

...praised at $1 40 00.
...rms of Sale—Cash

AARON FISHER Sheriff,
Allen County Ohio.

...ma, Ohio, November 5, 1897.
...H Leete, Plaintiff's Attorney.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No 9261

...t. Doc 10 Page 166
South Side Building and Loan Association, Plaintiff, vs. ...ert Kinzer et al., Defendants. } Allen Common Pleas

...virtue of an order of sale, issued from ...Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, ...o, and to me directed I will offer for sale ...he east door of the court house in Lima, ...n county, Ohio, on

...URDAY, NOVEMBER 27th, A D. 1897.

...ween the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock ..., the following described lands and ten-...nts, situate in Lima, Allen county, state ...hio, and described as follows, to wit. ...lot number thirty five hundred and nine ...even (3597) in Thomas Brothers' addition ...to the city of Lima, in said county and ...te.

...ppraised at $1233 00.
...erms of sale—cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff,
Allen County, Ohio.

...ma, Ohio, Oct 23rd, 1897.
...otter & Mackenzie, plaintiff's attorneys.

Legal Notice.

...icholas Gluckler and Anna Gluckler, re...ing in the City of Detroit, State of Michi-..., will take notice that The South Side ...ilding and Loan Association, of Lima, ...o, on the 28th day of September, A. D. ..., filed its petition in the Court of Common ...as, Allen county, Ohio, case No. 9220 ...inst them and others, praying for fore-...sure of mortgage upon inlot No. 3,549 in ...of Lima, Ohio, and for sale of mortgaged ...mises. Amount claimed, $417 45 with in-...rest from Sept 20, 1897.
...aid Nicholas Gluckler and Anna Gluckler ...required to answer on or before the 4th ...of December, 1897

...E SOUTH SIDE BUILDING AND LOAN AS...SOCIATION of Lima, Ohio
...otter & Mackenzie, attorneys.
...ovember 8 1897 11-4 6w

Legal Notice.

...arley Collins, Maggie Moore and Harry ...lins, residing in Danville, State of Illi-..., will take notice that Clarence H Fol-..., administrator of the estate of Nancy J. ...lins, deceased on the 27th day of October, ..., filed his petition in the Probate Court of ...en county Ohio, alleging that the personal ...ate of said decedent is not sufficient to ...her debts, and that she died seized in fee ...iple of the following described real estate, ...uated in said county to-wit: ... off the west side of inlot 604, McKibben's ...ition to Lima Ohio The prayer of said ...ition is for the sale of said real estate for ...payment of debts. The above named ...ies are parties to said suit, and are re-...ed to answer on or before the 27th day of ...vember, 1897.

CLARENCE H FOLSOM,
...dministrator of estate Nancy J. Collins, deceased
...otter & Mackenzie, Attorneys. 10 27 6w

...ssignee's Sale of Real Estate.

...n pursuance of the order of the probate ...urt of Allen county, Ohio, I will offer for ...e at public auction on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13th, 1897.

...1 o'clock p. m., at the east door of the court ...use in said county and state, the following ...scribed real estate, to wit:
... part of the east half of the northwest ...arter of section twenty-nine (29) township ...ee (3) south range seven (7) east, described ...follows: beginning at a point marked by a ...e in the center of the Findlay road 1380 feet ...a northeasterly direction from a stone ...are the center line of north Sugar street ...the city of Lima, Allen county Ohio ...ses the center line of said Findlay road; thence north 1121 feet; thence east 126 feet, thence south 126 feet, thence along the center line of the Findlay road in a south westerly direction 122 feet, to the point of beginning, containing 42 25-100 acres of land, more or less

Appraised at $1901 25.
Terms of sale—cash.

JOHN M. BOOSE,
Trustee, Peter M. Boose estate
Jason G. Lamison, attorney for John M. Boose.

Legal Notice.

No. 4719.

Lorenz J Holzfoster, as executor of the last will of Jacob B Haller, deceased, Plaintiff, vs. Franklin Haller et al, Defend'ts } Probate Court, Allen County, Ohio.

Christian L Haller and Sarah Haller, who reside in the city of New York, in the state of New York, will take notice that Lorenz J Holzfoster, as executor of the last will and testament of Jacob B Haller, late of Allen county Ohio, deceased, on the third day of March, 1897, filed his petition in the Probate Court of Allen county, Ohio, alleging that the personal estate of said decedent is insufficient to pay his debts and the charges of administering his estate and for the payment of legacies; that the said Jacob B Haller died seized in fee simple of the following real estate in German township, Allen county, Ohio, to wit:

All that part of the east half of the northwest quarter of section number twenty six (26), town three (3 south range six 6) east, lying south of the right of way of the Pittsburg, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Railroad, except a small cemetery hereon, 188 feet north and south by 27 feet east and west, and a right of way thereto 10 feet wide.

Also, the southwest part of the northeast quarter of said section twenty-six (26) in said town and range, beginning at the southwest corner of said northeast quarter of said section twenty six 26, thence east on the south line of said quarter section fourteen hundred and fourteen (1414) feet to a stake; thence north eight hundred and fifty two (852) feet to a point in the south line of the right of way of said Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago railroad; thence northwestwardly on the south line of the right of way of said railroad to a point in the west line of said northeast quarter of said section twenty-six (26); thence south on the west line of said northeast quarter of said section to the place of beginning; in all one hundred and five and forty-two hundredths (105 42-100) acres of land with all appurtenances thereto

The prayer of the petition is that said property be sold to pay the debts and charges aforesaid, the legacy provided in the will of plaintiff's decedent, and to distribute the residue in accordance with said will

Christian L. Haller and Sarah Haller are hereby notified that they have been made parties defendant in said petition and that they are required to answer on or before the 23d day of December, A. D 1897.

LORENZ J HOLZFOSTER,
Executor of the last will and testament of Jacob B Haller, deceased.
I. B. Longsworth, Attorney. 11-10 6w

Legal Notice.

Frank M. Lochhead, Plaintiff, vs Saddie Logan, Defendant. } In the Court of Common Pleas, Allen county, Ohio.

Saddie Logan, whose place of residence is in the city of Huntington, Huntington county, Indiana, will take notice that on the 7th day of October, 1897, Frank M. Lochhead duly filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, case No 9188 his affidavit in attachment for amount claimed, seventy five dollars and fifty-four cents ($75 54 with interest from the 25th day of July, 1896 on an account for groceries sold and delivered, and for an attachment against inlot number nineteen hundred and twenty five (1925), Reece's addition to the city of Lima, and for the sale of attached property.

Said Saddie Logan is required to answer on or before the 6th day of November, 1897, or a decree will be taken against her.

FRANK M LOCHHEAD.
By Motter & Mackenzie his attorneys.

Legal Notice.

Nellie O. Doute, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 15th day of October, A. D 1897, James L Doute filed his petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, being case No. 9317, praying a divorce from said Nellie O Doute on the ground of gross neglect of duty and fraud, and that said cause will be for hearing on and after November 29th, 1897.

JAMES L. DOUTE, Plaintiff.
By Copeland & Rogers, Attorneys
Lima, O., Oct. 15 1897 10 16 6w

The Last Words of Socrates.

"Alas!" cried Socrates, as he looked at the poison cup, "with all my knowledge I cannot find the key to this lock."

"What lock?" demanded the jailer.

"Hemlock," sighed the sage.—*Puck.*

Some People's Folly.

Why some persons will suffer with the excruciating pangs of rheumatism, when they can be so easily cured by that greatest of pain-cures, Salvation Oil, is past human comprehension. That Salvation Oil does cure rheumatism is evidenced by Mr. G. F. Schrader, Pierce, Neb., who says: "I have used Salvation Oil and think there is no liniment on earth like it. I had the rheumatism for several months and could get no relief until I used Salvation Oil, two bottles of which effected a cure, and I feel as well as ever. No home should be without it." Salvation Oil is sold everywhere for 25 cents. When dealers offer a substitute beware, you'll be victimized. Insist on having the best, Salvation Oil.

His Hallucination.

Wanterknow—Was Hoggins intoxicated last night?

Teller—Yes, very much so. Why, he went about loudly declaring that he was a gentleman.—*N. Y. World.*

Do You Know

that tetter, eczema, and all similar skin diseases, can be cured by Carter's Herbal Ointment; it soothes and restores the tissues to their healthy condition and cures piles. It is also valuable for croup and whooping cough, hoarseness, bronchitis, and for soreness of the chest, back and shoulders. Price 25 cents. For sale by William M. Melville and Howard B. Hover.

Grippe Cured.

"Last winter I had a bad cold and severe cough. I was lame in every joint and muscle. I was sick and felt as though I was coming down with typhoid fever. It was no doubt a bad case of grippe. Mr. E. P. Budge gave me a bottle of Brazilian Balm, saying he was sure it would help me. The relief was almost instantaneous. It quickly stopped my cough and took the grippe with all the pains and soreness out of my system. I gave the balance of the 50-cent bottle to Mrs. Bishop Wiley for her daughter. It proved so beneficial she says she never intends to be without it."—Edwin Fitz Jones, Cincinnati, Ohio.

SELECTIONS

PHOTOS OF THE UNSEEN.

Dr. Luijs Has Photographs of Nervous Emanations of the Human Body.

A new wonder of science is the photographing of the effluvia or invisible emanations of the human nervous system. It has been accomplished by Dr. Luijs, a prominent member of the French Academy of Medicine.

In the course of one of the last meetings of the Society of Biology of Paris Dr. Luijs, member of the Academy of Medicine, explained his discoveries. In collaboration with M. David the doctor has succeeded in fixing, in a very clear manner, on a photographic proof the so called effluvia which are given off by the fingers of an adult of good constitution and enjoying perfect health

To obtain this result two scientists shut themselves with their subject in a laboratory entirely without light. They placed the hand which was to serve for the experiment in a bath of hydroquinone, the underside of the fingers being applied to a plate of gelatino-bromure of silver. The pose lasted 15 to 20 minutes.

The plate of gelatino-bromure, treated according to the customary methods, gave a proof as curious as it is instructive.

One saw the lines of the ends of the fingers with the effluvia given off from them like a kind of spray. On the corner of the plate, in the upper left hand corner, there appeared a fragment of detached skin floating in the bath, which emits effluvia directly in the form of vertical filaments. All the little white points which were seen on the black background of the proof represented the dust of effluvia floating in the bath of hydroquinone.

Dr. Luijs did not stop there with his researches. He proposed also to record the effluvia of the eyes and the ears. New experiments have given excellent results in this respect, and even plates influenced from a distance registered very faithfully the impressions felt.

It goes without saying, says the eminent scientist in his report to the Society of Biology, that these new studies will give a new meaning to a series of phenomena long known as suggestive conceptions in default of any demonstration of their reality.

The fluid of magnetism termed by Reichembach the odd and the neutric force of Barety will now receive the certificate of scientific reality.

It is proved that there is given off normally from the human body in a continuous manner a special fluid which seems to be an essential manifestation of life, and which exteriorizes itself, as lately Colonel de Rochas has tried to prove with so much zeal. He terms it the exteriorization of sensibility.

Several objections were raised on the examination of the first proof of the fingers, effluvia. Certain incredulous persons asked if the impressions produced on the plate of gelatino bromure did not result simply from the contact of the fingers.

To answer these critics, Dr. Luijs insulated two fingers avoiding all contact with the plate. The result was a proof which bore three impressions like the first and two others less developed, but yet convincing.

We may be sure, says the doctor, that this process is likely to have prolific results in physiology and in pathology. It is easy of application and is within the reach of all persons who have an elementary knowledge of photography. The immersion can be effected in an ordinary bath of 9-12.

One can thus record the variation of the nervous force which is incessantly given off from the digital extremities of human beings. It varies according to age, sex, the different periods of the day and the state of emotion which sets the human being vibrating.

Light Cure For Rheumatism.

A St. Petersburg physician has been experimenting with electric lights as a cure for rheumatism with great success, as he reports cures of 14 out of 18 cases of chronic rheumatism, 2 out of 4 cases of neurosis and of all the cases of sciatica and lumbago so treated. The patient, wearing blue glasses, is placed about five feet from a powerful arc light provided with a reflector, and is protected by a screen in which is cut an aperture to allow the light to fall upon the part affected, the temperature being never raised more than 4 degrees above normal. The patient is exposed from 45 seconds to 3 minutes.

During the experiments it was observed that after six or eight hours' exposure itching and tingling are felt, the skin reddens and in 48 hours peels off. The doctor says that there has been a notable diminution in the number of cases of rheumatism, neuralgia, migraine and other nervous diseases among electric workmen, which he attributes to the effects of the arc light.—Exchange.

Rubber Lined Warships.

In French naval circles there is again some talk of adopting a "filling" between the interskin and the inner shell. At present cellulose and corn pith seem to have gone out of favor, and it is now proposed to utilize ... or some similar elastic substance, so that even should the vessel or shot penetrate, the rent will close again, and only a small quantity of water be admitted. Tests have already been made, a structure representing a small part of the length of a vessel being fitted with the cellular double sides filled with caoutchouc and it was perforated within and outside at various depths above and below the water line and allowed to float in the river, and yet it was found after a considerable time that only a few pints of water had leaked through the interior.—Industries and Iron.

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES

Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It cures painful, swollen, smarting feet and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight fitting or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous and hot, tired aching feet. Try it to day. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. By mail for 25c in stamps. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S Olmstead, LeRoy, N Y.

Vagaries of Learning.

A certain schoolteacher, whose sense of humor is developed to a remarkable degree, goes to the trouble occasionally of writing down for her own use some of the funniest answers which she finds in her examination papers. By especial favor I have been allowed to use a few. Here they are:

"The stomach is the most diluted portion of the elementary canal."

"Hygene is all that you can tell about that which is asked."

"The doctrine of evolution began with the beginning of life and grew higher and higher until it regenerated into monkey. This process was slow, so slow that neither the monkey nor the man knew anything about it."

"A germ is a name applied to a particular particle, tiny subbacterial organism, which, when demonstrated, causes disease."

"A germ is a tiny insect or bug sometimes found in diseases or organs. That is why diseases are contagious. It is so small that it can be seen only with a telescope. Then it appears like the head of a pin, but it goes floating around into the atmosphere."

"Habeus corpus means you may have the head and I will take the body."

"Queen Elizabeth's reign was the reign of posterity."

"The germ theory of diseases is continually floating around in the air and is very dangerous, especially when the amosphere is unwholesome."

"William Pitt, the second son of the Earl of Chatham, premier of England, entered life at a very early age, which office he held at a very early period in life, the time when most men are just completing a professional education."

"A dowager is a widow without joints."—Syracuse Post.

What Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for others it will also do for you. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures all blood diseases.

A Recommendation.

First Soubrette—I've got to take something for my nerves. Did you ever try Billiger's Bromides?

Second Soubrette—It ain't as good as Waxem's Catnip Compound. The bromide people only use small cuts over their testimonials, and the compound folks will put your picture in double column width.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Baby Screamed One Hour. One Dose Brought Smiles.

MASSILLON, O., Nov. 6, '95.—Hand Medicine Co.—"I cheerfully bear witness as to the virtues of Dr. Hands' Colic Cure. Our baby, now nearly four months old, suffered much from colic. After having screamed with pain for over an hour we came upon Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and gave her a dose of it. In five minutes after taking she is all smiles, and at night we all sleep. Mrs. F. L. Traphagen, 46 W. Charles St." All druggists 25c.

What More Could I Do?

Oh, I vowed to her I'd love her
With devotion deep and true!
On my knees I fell before her—
What more could a fellow do?

And I begged, beseeched, implored her
In the sweetest words I knew
Just to promise she would wed me—
What more could a fellow do—

But the silly girl refused me,
Broke my heart, so fond and true,
So—well, now I love another—
What more could a fellow do?
—San Francisco Examiner.

The Business Man

who neglects his business often finds himself in a bad condition. Just so with you if you neglect that cold. Why not get rid of it? It is very simple and only costs a quarter. Did you ever try Carter's Cough Cure? It will cure you. Price 25 cents. For sale by Wm. M. Melville and Howard B. Hover.

An Expert.

Ethel—So you were sleigh riding with Mr. Smith last evening. Did he drive with one hand?

Mae—Oh, no. He drove with his teeth.—New York Truth.

Why Not

cure that troublesome cough which you think will wear off in a little while, but which may, if let to run on, develop serious results. Carter's Cough Cure will break it up and restore the weakened tissues Price 25 cents. For sale by Wm. M. Melville and Howard B Hover.

All He Wants.

Cumso—Tesla says he does not need wires to telegraph with.

Cawker—No. all he wants is the earth.—Town Topics.

You Can't Afford to Chance It.

A heavy cold may lead to pneumonia or consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar taken in time affords perfect security from serious results H F Vortkamp n e cor. Main and North streets

She Feels Hurt.

It most always hurts a girl more or less when her best fellow calls with a two days' growth of whiskers on his chin.—Lawrence American.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

TURF TALKS.

George A Fuller drove in his first race in 1875 and has been in the sulky ever since.

Julia Coulter, 2:15¾, by Wilkes Boy, is the latest acquisition of the Europeans.

It is said that the Driving club of New York cleared $7,000 on its recent grand circuit meeting.

Bumps likes to race in front by himself. When he is collared at the three quarters, he seldom gets to the wire first.

The new performer Miss Brown, 2:30, by Brown, 2:18, is out of Dunn Girl, 2:27¾, dam of Jennie K, 2:15⅛, and Hattie K. 2:24¾

Thomas Keating, the crack California reinsman, is threatened with consumption and has been ordered by his physician to winter in Arizona.

One of the fastest weanling pacers ever seen in any stock farm is Baron Hirsch at Maplehurst, by Baron Wilkes, dam Bessie Wilkes, by Red Wilkes.

The largest individual loss on a horse race is said to be that of the Duke of Westminster, who bet £180,000 to £6,000 against Hermit in the 1867 Derby. Hermit won.

George E. McKaig of Troy, O., owner of the great stallion Simmons, has purchased the pacing mare Bessie Bonehill, 2:05¾, by Empire Wilkes, at a reported price of $1,200.

William Penn's three heats in 2:07¾, 2:09, 2:09, at Springfield, Ills., were the fastest three ever trotted by a stallion. Lockhart's three in 2:09, 2:08½, 2:09 at Hedrick, Ia., in 1895, formerly ranked first.

Judge Clark will hereafter expect Jockey Everett to ride up to the form displayed in the last race. Everett was on Pacemaker and was warned before he went to the post to ride as if his life depended upon it. After being knocked to his knees Pacemaker won a grand race.

The Monk's heat in 2:08¼, at Lexington, broke several records. It was the fastest ever trotted in the Transylvania, the fastest ever trotted by a 4-year-old gelding, the fastest trotted by a gelding this season and the fastest mark ever reached by a performer in his first public season.

STAGE GLINTS.

William H. Crane has been on the stage 33 years.

Ernst Possart is to give a Shakespearean festival at Munich next summer.

Detroit may get two new theaters in place of the opera house that was burned.

George Alexander will shortly make a fine revival of Shakespeare's "Henry V."

Beerbohm Tree is going to Berlin this winter to act Hamlet and Falstaff in English.

Douglas Lloyd, now with "The Proper Caper," has been engaged for "The White Heather."

Adele Ritchie has made a genuine hit in London as a comic opera singer, and will proceed to Paris to study for an operatic career.

Beryl Hope has been engaged to play the leading role, originated by Katherine Grey, in "A Southern Romance." She will be featured.

Mrs. Fiske is planning her arrangement of "Vanity Fair" for the stage. The play may be called "Becky Sharp," and consists of a prologue and four acts.

A new operetta and a one act musical farce, said to be almost completed, have been found among the possessions of Franz von Suppe, who died three years ago.

The preparation for the debut in America of the Polish actress Alexandra Viarda, at the Fifth Avenue theater, New York, is fast approaching completion. It is intended that she shall be supported by an exceptionally fine American company.

SIZES.

The average cigar is from 4 to 6 inches in length.

A cable, in nautical parlance, means 120 fathoms.

The middle finger is from 3½ to 4 inches in length.

The average height of the horse is about 14 hands.

The average ear is from 2 to 2½ inches in length.

A demy 24mo. page is 5 inches long by 2¾ inches wide.

A box 23 by 15 and 24 inches deep contains a barrel of three heaped bushels.

The lion, though he stands no higher than a large mastiff, is from 6 to 8 feet in length.

The regulation length for lead pencils is 7 inches and three-eighths of an inch in thickness.

A size in shoes is one-third of an inch. A No. 12 shoe, made on an F last, is 14¼ inches long.

The hand of the man of average size is from 6 to 8 inches in length, that of the woman from 1 to 1¾ inches smaller.

The finest needles are about an inch in length. A needle for sewing with coarse thread is from 1½ to 2 inches in length.

The Bengal tiger, though only 4 feet high, is from 8 to 9 feet in length. A specimen of this size will weigh 800 pounds.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

The volcanoes of Vesuvius and Etna are never both active at the same time.

The famous Uncas, Cooper's "last of the Mohicans," is buried in the suburbs of Norwich, Conn.

A relic hunter stole the chair on which President McKinley sat while reviewing the Grand Army parade in Buffalo recently.

MUNYON'S

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Westward.		9	15	3	30	7
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Canton	lv	10 26	9 27	5 [illegible]		
Massillon	"	10 38	9 48	5 48		
Wooster	"	11 18	10 26	6 31		
Mansfield	"	12 25	11 38	7 [illegible]		
Crestline	ar	12 58	11 58	8 25		
Crestline	lv	12 55	12 05	PM	†6 20	*1 45
Robinson	"				6 32	f1 55
Bucyrus	"	1 16	12 25		6 45	2 06
Nevada	"				7 03	2 21
U.Sandusky	"	1 41	12 50		7 18	2 33
Kirby	"				7 47	2 45
Forest	"	....	1 10		8 00	2 57
Dunkirk	"	....	....		8 15	3 03
Washingt'n	"	....	....		8 32	f3 08
Ada	"	.	1 34		8 54	3 19
Lafayette	"				9 05	3 28
Lima	"	2 58	2 00		9 20	3 44
Elida	"				9 35	3 58
Delphos	"	3 14	2 24		9 50	4 11
Middlepoint	"				10 03	4 21
Van Wert	"	3 34	2 44		10 17	4 33
Convoy	"	....	..		10 33	4 47
Dixon	"	....	....		10 43	f4 56
Monroeville	"	..	....		10 51	5 03
Maples	"	..	....		11 01	f5 13
Adams	"				11 09	
Ft. Wayne	ar	4 25	3 35		‡11 20	5 30
Warsaw	"	5 31	4 46		1 03	6 51
Plymouth	"	6 06	5 20		1 55	7 33
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Lafayette	"	3 35		8 05		
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No. 13, Wells Fargo Limited Express daily, except Monday ... 4 55 p m

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No 8, Vestibule Limited, daily, for New York and Boston ... 9:02 p m
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Special Sale Men's and Women's Flannelette Gowns 50 cents each

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VERY PROMISING

Indications for the Meeting of the Northwestern Ohio

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

Over a Thousand Teachers Will Be in Attendance — Many Will Come in Special Cars—Excellent Programme Arranged.

The twenty-fifth annual session of the Northwestern Ohio Teachers' Association will be held in this city on November 26th and 27th, the last Friday and Saturday of this month, and it will be the largest gathering of teachers that has ever met in this city. Over one thousand teachers will attend the annual meeting and all the public schools of Northwestern Ohio will be represented. During these two days the town will be crowded with teachers, many of whom are instructors of national reputation. No other city of Northwestern Ohio is better provided with railroad facilities. All the railroads will offer cheap rates. This, with excellent railroad connections, will bring large crowds who will remain in the city until the close of the session. Supt. C. O. Miller is exerting every effort to make the meeting a success and the session will be held in the opera house and the programme as arranged will be one that will interest all who attend.

Friday evening John Clark Ridpath, D. D., the well known historian, will lecture on the subject, "The Suppression of the Intellectual Life in the United States." He is an orator and every teacher who hears him will be well paid for having attended the session.

The following invitation has been issued and sent to the various schools of northwestern Ohio;

To the Teachers of Northwestern Ohio:

The public schools of Lima will be in session Friday forenoon. All teachers and friends of education are cordially invited to visit them.

Very Respectfully,
C. C. MILLER, Supt. Schools.

Mrs. Ora Blanche Wheeler will have her "Froebel Kindergarten" in session Friday and all will be welcome to visit and inspect her method of teaching the young child.

On the back of the programme that has been issued is an excellent map of the various manufactories, churches, public buildings and places of interest indicated by numbers.

A red hand indicates the location of the school buildings. Strangers by referring to the map can easily find any school or building in the city. This map will be a great convenience to the visitors and by them will be greatly appreciated.

All the hotels in the city will offer special rates to all teachers, and everything will be done by the citizens of Lima to make the visiting teachers enjoy the time that they will spend in the city.

Sup't Miller received letters last week informing him that the teachers of Bucyrus, Findlay and Marion will come to Lima in their own special car.

The following programme has been arranged and will be a source of great benefit and instruction to all teachers who are in attendance:

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1 P. M.

Devotional exercises.....Rev. W. G Waters

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Address of welcome—on behalf of city.....Hon. S. A Baxter, Mayor
Address of welcome—on behalf of the schools.....
Mr E. W Jackson, Pres. Board of Education
Response .....Hon. J. J. Burns. Defiance

MUSIC.

President's Inaugural .....Sup't J. J. Bliss Bucyrus

MUSIC.

"Some Phases of Recent Educational Progress" .....
Sup't R. E. Rayman, East Liverpool
Address—"Some Social and Administrative Aspects of Public Education."
Prof Edmund J. James, University of Chicago.

SYMPOSIUM

"The Twentieth Century School Building." Discussed by Presidents of various Boards of Education Superintendents and noted Architects. Opened by Hon. Amos Kling, Marion, followed by Dr. Chas. Graefe, Sandusky.

Appointment of Committees.

EVENING SESSION.

Address by Dr. John Clark Ridpath, the eminent historian, editor The Arena, Boston. Subject—"The Suppression of the Intellectual Life in the United States"

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 8 30 A. M.

Devotional Exercises . . Rev. R. J. Thomson

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"Why should our Cities have High Schools and what kind of Schools should they be?".....
Prof Jas. W Knott, Toledo
Address—"Mental Physiology of Young People" . . Dr. Dan Millikin, Hamilton

MUSIC.

Reading—Selected .....Mr Clare G. Onley, Galion
Address—"Does Education Pay".....Dr Nathan C Schaffer
State Sup't Pub. Instruction, Pennsylvania.

MUSIC.

SATURDAY, 1 P M

"True Education" .....Sup't John Morris Covington, Ky
Round Table—General Topic—"The Professional Training of Teachers".....
.....Opened by Prof Carl Ackerman, Lima
Followed by .....Sup't J W Zeller, Findlay
Address Dr E. E. White, Columbus

BUSINESS SESSION

Shutt's Sausage

and scrapple for sale at all the leading meat markets, and at Shutt's market, 432 north Main street. tf

Pay your gas bills to-day and save the discount.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Foley, of 753 south Main street, is quite ill.

L. H Hume, of 121 south Elizabeth street, to-day removed his family to Cincinnati.

B. E. Baker has sold the Y. M. C. A. barber shop to Cable & Freas. Baker has returned to Red Key, Ind., from where he came.

The regular G. A. R. camp fire which was to have been given to-night, has been postponed until the regular night for the entertainment next month.

The funeral services of Mrs. Sarah Hefner, wife of Isaac Hener, of Jackson township, were held from Union Chapel at 10 o'clock this morning, and the remains were interred in the Ward cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Korn wish to sincerely thank their many friends and neighbors who kindly rendered assistance during their recent affliction—the death of their daughter, Miss Janie Korn.

E. W. Woods, who has been in the employ of the Lima Machine Works for the past eighteen years, has resigned on account of ill health and is now running an express wagon, the capacity of which is 3,000 lbs.

UNION MEN

Were Out in Force at the Trades Council Hall Last Night.

Expected Speakers Failed to Reach the City, but Local Enthusiasts Were Equal to the Occasion.

The Trades Council Hall was the scene of an enthusiastic meeting of union laborers last night, almost a full representation of every local labor union being present. The union men were there to hear addresses by Otto Schneider, of Bloomington, Ill., and C. O. Lyons, of Fairmount, Ind., and considerable disappointment was occasioned by the announcement that the speakers had missed railroad connections and could not arrive in the city until this morning. There were present, however, members of the local labor organizations who were equal to the occasion, and notwithstanding the informality of the meeting there was no lack of enthusiasm or earnest appeals in behalf of the cause of organized labor.

President J. M. Kendall, of the Trades Council, presided and introduced as one of the speakers J. F. MacDonagh, of the typographical union, who made a splendid address, and the frequent outbursts of applause told that his words were appreciated. He made an earnest appeal in behalf of the employment of union labor and gave the "rat" and "scab" shops a deserved scoring. Other interesting and entertaining speeches were made by Messrs. George Lyons, of the Tailors' Union; Samuel Lober, of the Barbers' Union; Claude Leslie, of the Typographical Union, and Mr. Hasselman, of the Cigar Makers' Union.

PUBLIC MEETING TO NIGHT.

To-night the speakers who were to have addressed last nights' meeting will remain in the city and will address a public meeting at the Trades Council Hall. Mr. Schneider, one of the speakers, is general organizer for the Journeymen Tailors' Union and thoroughly conversant with the issues pertinent to the welfare of organized labor. Mr. Lyons is also an eloquent speaker, and all who are interested in organized labor should hear the addresses to-night.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been or Are Going.

Mr. B. M. Moulton went to Cincinnati this morning.

D. H. McCreight, of Ottawa, was in the city to-day.

W. H. C. Monroe left this afternoon for Pittsburg.

Dr. A. M. Goebel is in Cleveland on professional business.

A. P. Snyder, T. J. Godfrey and S. S. Scranton, of Celina, were in the city to day.

Gus Snyder went to Lima on the noon train.—John Page, of Lima, was here to-day on business.—*Piqua Leader.*

Reverends Samuel Widemere, Jonas Snider, S. J. Burkholder and Noah Stauffer, of Canada, are stopping at the Cambridge House.

I. N. Pangle, of Lima, was in the city last evening.—Mrs. Jos. Askins, of Lima, was the guest of Mrs. E. Cloud last Sunday.—Miss Pearl Clippinger, of Lima, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Belle Baber.—*Delphos Herald.*

Ticket With Every 5c Purchase

At the Lima Candy Kitchen this week. Two pounds of 50c candies or twenty of our best 5c cigars, will be given away next Saturday evening. 20-eod3t

For Coughs.

Colds and Lung Troubles take Rock Candy and Pure Rye Whiskey, at the California Wine Co. 10tf

A USEFUL LIFE

Terminated in the Death of J. R. Ashton.

LIVED THREE SCORE YEARS.

Was a Prominent Citizen of Lima Since His Youth—Funeral Will Be Held from the Residence Saturday Afternoon.

John R. Ashton, one of the oldest and most prominent citizens of Lima, and who has been for many years the proprietor and manager of the Ashton Machine Works, at Market and Union streets, died at 9 o'clock this morning at his home on south West street, from bronchial trouble. Mr. Ashton was sixty years of age and had been a resident of this city since 1852. He was an active and prosperous citizen and his life was a useful and successful one. His illness was of about three months duration and until he became confined to his home by reason of his illness he remained constantly in charge of his business affairs at the machine works.

BORN IN RICHLAND COUNTY.

J. R. Ashton was born October 20, 1837, in Richland county, Ohio, and was the youngest son of Francis and Elizabeth Ashton, natives of England His father came to America in 1831 and traveled through New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio. He returned to England, but in 1832, accompanied by his family, he then having five sons, he again came to America and to Ohio, and purchased land and settled in Richland county. In 1852 he came to Allen county, his family then numbering seven sons and two daughters. His children were given the advantages of the best schools of that early day and all became occupants of respectable positions in life. All the members of the family settled in Allen county except one brother of the deceased, Charles Ashton, who removed to Guthrie county, Iowa. The father, like the subject of this obituary, was always a prominent man, and looked not only to his own family's interests, but to the good of the community. The deceased was prominent among the veterans of the civil war. He enlisted in his country's service Aug 12th, 1862, and was assigned to Co. A, 118th regiment, O. V. I. He was afterward transferred to Co. I, of the same regiment, detailed to duty in the hospital department and subsequently promoted to hospital steward. He remained with the regiment until it was mustered out of service at Salisbury, N. C, June 24, and reached home July 13, 1865. Mr. Ashton was married October 25, 1866, to Margaret E. Clippinger, and to them was born one son, Edwin, who died in infancy. Mrs. Ashton died March 25, 1872, and on November 25, 1874, Mr. Ashton again married, Miss Mary C. Melhorn, daughter of the late John Melhorn, becoming his devoted wife. Mrs. Ashton and their two sons, Harry M and Paul Ashton, who are now popular young men of the city, survive him, and mourn the loss of a loving husband and kind father.

FUNERAL SATURDAY.

The funeral service will be held from the deceased's late residence at 130 south West street, at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Rev. Waters, of Trinity church, will conduct the services and the remains will be interred in Woodlawn cemetery.

Did You Hear the Evangelist at the Main Street Church of Christ?

Last night we listened to a most excellent sermon on "The Great Library," or "How to Read God's Word" Evangelist Hunter shows much skill in making clear the word. You cannot afford to miss hearing him. Come to-night and bring your friends

I. O. O. F. Notice.

There will be a meeting of the degree staff of Golden Gate Lodge No. 260 Wednesday evening. A full attendance desired. J. P. BLACK.

MRS. CARROLL'S DEATH

Resulted After an Illness of Several Months' Duration.

Funeral Services Held at Newark To-Day—Interment at Mt Calvary Cemetery, Columbus.

The funeral services of Mrs. John J. Carroll, of Newark, in respect for whom the Carroll and Cooney dry goods house of this city was closed yesterday and this morning, were conducted from the St. Francis de Sales church at Newark this morning at 9 o'clock, and the remains were taken to Columbus for interment in Mt. Calvary cemetery.

The Newark *Advocate* gives the following in relation to Mrs. Carroll's death:

Mrs. Susan Carroll, wife of Mr. John J. Carroll, one of Newark's most prominent merchants, died at her home on west Locust street last evening at 7 o'clock, after an illness of five months with cancer of the stomach

Mrs. Carroll's maiden name was Susan Cooney. She was born in Columbus, in 1861, and about ten years ago she was married to Mr. Carroll. They immediately came to Newark, where Mr. Carroll had the management of the Carroll store, and have resided here ever since.

The deceased was taken sick last June, and for some time her condition was not considered serious, until it was discovered that she had cancer of the stomach, and then all hope was lost. She was a noble, good woman, of kind and loving heart, and was beloved by all who knew her. She had been a member of the Catholic church from childhood, and was a devoted Christian.

INITIATION

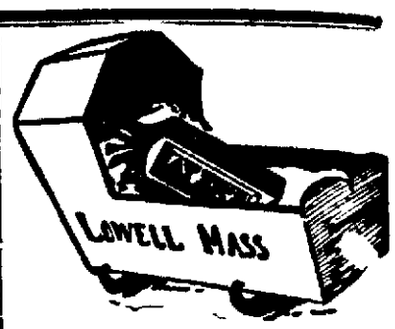
And Election of Officers Held by the Shawnee Commandery.

James M. Morehead was initiated into the Shawnee Commandery No 14, Knights Templar, last evening After the initiation the annual election of officers followed, resulting in the following selection:

W. M. Melville, E. C; G E Bluem, G.; W. K. Boone, C G; F. A. Zimmerman, P; R. O. Woods, S. W.; O. W. Herbet, J. W.. F. Ashton, T; E H. Johns, R: J. W. Dobbins, S B; L. Fall, S. V; W. J. Shepherd, W., and W. H. Standish and T. W. Bacchus, trustees of the Masonic Hall Company.

The following visitors were present and enjoyed the work of the evening G. R. Leist and S. D Orites, of Elida; J H. Allen, of Kenton; Rev F A. Zimmerman, of Mendon; S Scranton, T. J Godfrey and A. P J. Snyder, of Celina; A O Beeler and John House, of St. Marys.

When the evening work had been completed the members and visitors repaired to the banquet hall, where a bounteous feast awaited them.



Fifty Years Ago.

This is the cradle in which there grew
That thought of a philanthropic brain:
A remedy that would make life new
For the multitudes that were racked with pain.
'Twas sarsaparilla, as made, you know
By Ayer, some go years ago.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

was in its infancy half a century ago. To-day it doth "bestride the narrow world like a colossus." What is the secret of its power? Its cures! The number of them! The wonder of them! Imitators have followed it from the beginning of its success. They are still behind it. Wearing the only medal granted to sarsaparilla in the World's Fair of 1893, it points proudly to its record. Others imita the remedy; they can't ir ate the record:

50 Years of Cures.

Church Meeting.

The members of Berean Baptist Church are requested to be present Thursday evening as business of importance is to be transacted. By order of

CHURCH CLERK

Robert W. Thrift

has opened a law office in the rooms formerly occupied by the Doctors Steiner, in the Wise building, old post office block. 10-27 1m

Call New 'Phone

For the only place to store goods—the city storage house. All goods itemized and stored separate.
13tf E. STICKNEY, Proprietor

All Old Soldiers

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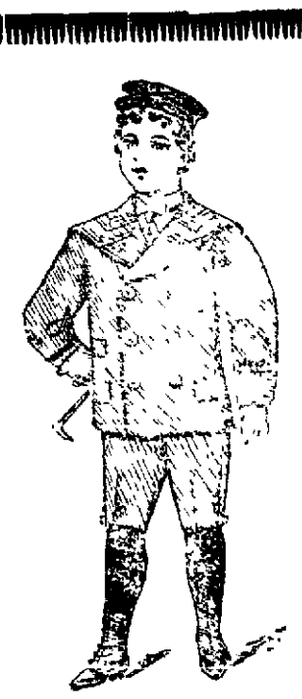
For a successful shot have your gun cleaned and repaired by Mr. Kohler, at the Lima Cycle Co., 210 south Main street. 2 2t

For Coughs.

Colds and Lung Troubles take Rock Candy and Pure Rye Whiskey, at the California Wine Co. 10tf

Kohler knows how to repair your gun. See him at the Lima Cycle Co., 210 south Main street.



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